

# 20 PER CENT. OF OUR HOGS ARE TUBERCULAR, SAYS DR. RAZENEL



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### NO REAL DEPRESSION IN U. S., SAYS GOMPERS

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., December 16.—President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor told the House Judiciary committee today that while the number of men out of employment in the United States might possibly be a trifle above normal, he believed that it was "due to the transition we are in rather than

to any real depression." Mr. Gompers made his statement during the course of an argument for the Bartlett bill. He pointed to the recent indictment of labor leaders in Colorado for violation of the Sherman law to emphasize his contention that they should be exempt from prosecution for combining to better wages and conditions.

### SHOOP WILL BE ASKED TO QUIT

By Associated Press.  
Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16.—John D. Shoop, elected Superintendent of the Chicago schools to succeed Ella Flagg Young, will probably be asked to resign today, by a committee of Chicago women, so that Mrs. Young can again be appointed.

### EIGHT MEN DEAD IN CINCINNATI FIRE

By Associated Press.  
Cincinnati, Dec. 16.—Fire, declared to be of incendiary origin, destroyed the Salvation Army Home at an early hour this morning. Eight men are known to be dead, and many others missing. The exact loss of life will not be ascertained until the ruins are searched for the bodies.

Arthur Sandell, Bangor, Maine, clerk in the building and the son of a Presbyterian minister, was one of the dead.

### EBBETS DECIDES HOT UNDER COLLAR

By Associated Press.  
New York City, December 16.—Charles Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn Baseball club, said today he would reply by telegram to the message he received yesterday from the Cincinnati Club directors seeking to cancel the sale of Joe Tinker to the Brooklyn's for \$25,000. "I shall say in substance," said Ebbets, "what I have already said, that the deal was made in good faith and that we stand pat. I am satisfied we can make satisfactory arrangements with Tinker when the time comes. The action of the Cincinnati club is without precedent. I shall not brook any interference from outside parties trying to influence Tinker."

### WYOMING VOTES ON SALOON ISSUE

By Associated Press.  
Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 16.—Wyoming, a suburb of this city, is holding a local option election today.

### BULL MOOSERS ARE ASSEMBLED

By Associated Press.  
Chicago, Ill., December 16.—Representative members of the Progressive party assembled here today to confer on the party's plans for the future and it was expected that it would be decided to issue a call for a conference to be held in the near future. The object of this conference it is said would be to arrange to have tickets in every county of the state at the next election.

At a conference of Progressives lead by Walter Brown, plans for a Progressive ticket in every county at the next election were discussed. The conference resulted in the call for another conference to be held in Columbus, January 3d, to which delegates from every county are expected. This convention is expected to promulgate a party platform and plan for the county ticket which will be selected at the primaries in September. Former U. S. Senator A. J. Beveridge, of Indiana, is expected to attend the convention.

### SUNDAY SALOON MATTER DROPPED

By Associated Press.  
Cincinnati, Ohio, December 16.—John Schwab, president of the Ohio German-American Alliance, stated today that no effort would be made to get 30,000 signatures to a petition seeking to amend the Sunday law so that saloons can be opened in the afternoon. The project has been temporarily abandoned because of the opinion of Attorney General Hogan that such an initiative petition could not be legally introduced in the special session of the legislature.

### THIRD FIRE IN THREE MONTHS

By Associated Press.  
Hamilton, Ohio, Dec. 16.—A local mattress factory was destroyed by fire this morning, the loss reaching \$22,000.

This is the third fire the company has suffered within the last four months.

### SHERMAN GRANGER

Ohio Member of Republican National Committee.



### CONGRESSMAN MOON

Tennessean Urges Public Ownership of Wire Service.



### LETCHER IS SUCCESSFUL IN INTERCEDING

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., Dec. 16.—Through representations made to the Rebel generals by American Consul Letcher, the United States has been successful in interceding in behalf of the Spaniards, who claimed mistreatment at the hands of the Rebel forces.

All advices to the state department say that all foreigners in general, with the exception of the Spaniards, have been respected. Upon request of the Spanish Ambassador, Spanish subjects are included in the protection given other foreigners.

### FORCED TO FLEE

By Associated Press.  
El Paso, Texas, December 16.—Two hundred more foreigners including 60 Americans arrived here on a special train from Chihuahua today. Among them were French, German, Italian and Spanish subjects. They confirmed the stories of earlier refugees, that General Villa's attitude toward them and his action in expelling Spaniards, had created a desire among all foreigners to leave the country. They said since the Spaniards had left the property taken from stores owned by them had been auctioned and the proceeds placed in the Rebel treasury.

### BRANDON CASE MOVES RAPIDLY

In the case of Ohio against Leo Brandon, which is now on in Common Pleas court, the case rested today noon and the work of examining witnesses for the defense was taken up. Dr. P. E. Decatur being the first called.

The witnesses examined for the state were: Mrs. Carey Deer, Ray Maddox, Patrolman Bell and Patrolman Baughn.

Deep interest is being taken in the case owing to its unusual features.

### SATIRE ALL GONE FROM THE JOKERS

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., December 16.—Officials of the Order of Carabao sent assurances to administration officials today that they entertained no spirit or purpose of hostility to President Wilson's Philippine policy when they gave the dinner last week and gave travesties and satires on members of the Cabinet and other public officials.

### CLEVELAND HOTEL WAITERS STRIKE

By Associated Press.  
Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 16.—Union waiters to the number of 125, at the Statler and Hollenden Hotels, struck today, and succeeded in closing the dining room of the Statler, while the Hollenden is operating with a half force of waiters.

Efforts to call out the waiters at the Colonial hotel proved of no avail. Union leaders predict that the Colonial waiters will join the strikers today, and that the Union and Cleveland Athletic Club waiters will also join the walkout.

The waiters demand \$5 per month increase. The Statler hotel waiters demand a six-day week.

40 waiters at the Colonial hotel at noon joined the strike which was begun this morning. A total of 165 waiters were out at noon.

### SCHMIDT DENIES INSANITY CHARGE

By Associated Press.  
New York City, December 16.—Hans Schmidt sprang to his feet in the court room today and vehemently denied his counsel's statement that he was insane when he killed Anna Ammiller. "It's a lie," he shouted, brandishing his fists. "I protest against that." The prosecution rested its case at the trial today and Judge M. K. Olcott for the defense outlined the insanity plea in his opening address to the jury. "I will show," he said, "that this defendant had been for many years, now is and always will be mentally unbalanced." He was interrupted by the outburst from the prisoner.

Judge Olcott told the jury he would show that in 1904 Schmidt got into trouble in Germany for a foolish and profitless forgery and only escaped punishment by his father promising to put him in an asylum. From this institution he escaped to this country.

### NOTED PROFESSOR CONDEMNS HOGS

By Associated Press.  
Madison, Wis., Dec. 16.—Twenty per centum of all hogs bought to slaughter, are tubercular, according to Dr. M. P. Razenel, Professor of Bacteriology in the University of Wisconsin.

Hogs do not develop the disease within themselves, but from the by-products of creameries and by following cattle suffering from the disease, according to Dr. Razenel.

### HANGED BY MOB

By Associated Press.  
Williston, N. D., December 16.—Cleve Culbertson, recently convicted of murdering all the members of the Dillon family, at Ray, N. D., was taken from the Williston county jail by a mob today and hanged.

### CASE REMAINS WITH THE JURY

By Associated Press.  
Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 16.—A motion of the defense to take the case of Clem Baxter, on trial for stealing \$3,140 of the funds of the Columbus Savings and Trust Company, from the jury, was overruled today by Judge Bigger in the Common Pleas court.

The defense claimed that the state had made no case.

### QUARTER MILLION LOSS IN LYNCHBURG

By Associated Press.  
Lynchburg, Va., Dec. 16.—Fire in the retail district this morning destroyed property valued at \$260,000. Most of the property was insured.

The flames started in a hardware store, and was of unknown origin.

### WEEK'S REPRIEVE

Springfield, Ill., December 16.—Governor Dunn today issued formal reprieve until Friday, January 16, 1914, to Henry Spencer sentenced to hang December 22nd, for the murder of Mrs. Mildred Allison Rexroat.

### REPUBLICAN ELEMENTS STRIVE FOR MASTERY

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., December 16.—The organization of the Republican party on a basis upon which the discordant elements can unite was the problem which leaders of that party tried to solve today. Two projects, one for a special national convention to re-adjust the system of delegate representation and the other, to call no convention but leave the task of apportionment to the National committee for ratification by state con-

ventions occupied the attention of the party leaders. Ormsby McHarg, who represented the Roosevelt forces in the contest proceedings at the Chicago convention last year, was a leader of the forces opposed to the special convention. Governor Hatfield, of West Virginia, urged that a special convention be called soon and suggested that it meet on Lincoln's birthday "so that the Republican party might be rededicated to him." Senator Cummins also appealed for the calling of a national convention.

### MOOSERS ROAST G. O. P. LEADERS

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., December 16.—Progressives in the House adopted resolutions today declaring that they view with interest the "death-bed repentance of the Republican leaders for the sins of the late Republican National convention and their present hypocritical offer of reform in representation at future conventions." Resolutions added that in all probability presidential candidates hereafter will be nominated not by convention but by direct vote of the people.

### INVENTOR DIES

By Associated Press.  
Piketon, O., December 16.—John Taylor, formerly of Piketon, Ohio, inventor of the Taylor Interlocking Switch Derailing system, died in Pittsburg at 1:30 this morning.

### CAMPAIGN NOTES

Executive Secretary Zaner, went to Milledgeville yesterday, where he addressed a meeting of representative church people at the Odd Fellows' hall. The organization for the Simultaneous Campaign in that end of the county was perfected, and his address was received with considerable enthusiasm. The Executive committee was appointed consisting of, A. E. Giddings, Frank E. Hidy, A. H. Eutsler, C. W. Patch, Rev. McKay and Rev. Cush.

There are to be about thirty prayer meetings held in the various sections of the town tonight. All are urged to attend the meeting nearest their home. These meetings are neighborhood meetings and are not denominational. They are being held for prayer that Fayette county may be won for Christ. It is hoped that the attendance tonight will exceed that of last Friday.

The big street banners are under way and before the close of the week, the first one will be strung on Court street.

Friday night there will be a meeting of all committees at the Y. M. C. A. for general reports. The meeting is called for 7:30, but it is expected that all those attending prayer meeting will march in a body to the Y. M. C. A. building immediately after the various meetings dismiss.

On Wednesday night at 7:30 there will be a meeting of all personal workers from the various churches, numbering about 125. All are urged to be present.

### BOYCOTT ON EGGS LOWERED PRICES

By Associated Press.  
Kansas City, Dec. 16.—An egg boycott, declared in this city by the women's organizations, was lifted today.

Storage eggs were selling at 40c per dozen when the boycott started, but the retail price is now 30 and 34 cents per dozen.

### THOMAS VERY ILL

By Associated Press.  
Nashville, Tenn., December 16.—The condition of John W. Thomas, Jr., president of the Nashville, Chattanooga, and St. Louis R. R., was critical today and physicians hold out little hope for his recovery. He is suffering from pneumonia.

### UNION LADIES ARE ENJOINED

By Associated Press.  
Cincinnati, Ohio, December 16.—Judge Oppenheimer of the Superior court, today granted an injunction against thirteen members of the Ladies' Garment Working union restraining them from interfering with the business of the Fulworth Garment company where a strike was called several weeks ago. It was alleged that the strikers were intimidating workers who wished to return to work.

### MINERS ENTOMBED

Grand Junction, Colo., December 16.—An explosion today at the Vulcan Mine at Newcastle, Colo., east of here, is reported to have entombed between 40 and 50 miners. The mine is owned by the Rock Mountain Fuel company. Cause of explosion is unknown.

### STATE OFFERS \$181,062 FOR OHIO PEN SITE

The state of Ohio has decided to pay \$181,062.50 for the new prison site in Madison county. This being the sum that it has confessed judgment for. Whether or not it is sufficient to pay for the tract of land decided upon will be determined by a jury in the Madison county courts Monday, January 5.

A jury composed of farmers will hear the condemnation proceedings and decide the value of the land. The difference between the price offered by the state and that asked by the owners, John, Esta and Minerva Hardin, is said to be \$36,000.

After the transfer of the land temporary quarters will be established and the prisoners taken there to do as much of the work as possible. A large amount of valuable timber is growing on the tract, it is said, which will be cut down immediately in order that it may become thoroughly seasoned before it is used for building purposes.

### WHITNEY PLEASES LARGE AUDIENCE

Edwin M. Whitney, the reader and impersonator, entertained a large audience at Jeffersonville, Monday night, where he appeared as the third number of the lecture course.

He presented "The Fortune Hunter" in a very pleasing manner, and the audience rated him among the best entertainers that ever appeared on the Jeffersonville Lyceum course.

### DEDICATION

By Associated Press.  
Berea, Ky., December 16.—The dedication of Napp Hall, an addition to Berea College, a building to be used for the training of rural teachers, took place here today. Carroll G. Perse, president of Normal School of Milwaukee, made the principal address.

### MORTON PARDONED

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., December 16.—Dr. William H. Morton, who served a term in Atlanta penitentiary with Julian Hawthorne, for complicity in mining stock selling frauds, has been pardoned by President Wilson to restore his civil rights, December 10.



# FIRST FAYETTE COUNTY DIRECTORY IS NOW READY FOR DISTRIBUTION

Mr. J. B. White, publisher of The New Fayette County Directory, has just received a large number of the completed books, and they are now ready for delivery and sale at the Daily Herald office. More of the Directories will be finished within a few days and there will be quite a number for sale.

Mr. White's County Directory is by far the best book of this sort ever issued in this city, and it is the only directory that has ever been issued containing a list of the names of the people of Fayette outside of Washington C. H. Directories printed heretofore contained a list of real property tax payers, but Mr. White's aim has been to include the names and addresses of all persons in the county over 16 years of age. Thus it will be seen at once that Mr. White has given the residents of Fayette county a great work.

In addition to giving the names and addresses of this army of people, Mr. White has also noted the occupation of practically all, their telephone,

the township in which they live and the number of acres of land owned. The aim has been to make a clean sweep and give as accurate a list as possible, and while every effort has been made to guard against errors and omissions, doubtless some have crept in, but taken altogether, Mr. White's County Directory is a most creditable book of 300 pages brimful of Fayette county information and is a book that should be in every home.

The book is nicely printed with large, readable type, on a high-grade book paper, and substantially bound in cloth. It will stand a mighty lot of hard usage. A feature of the work lies in the complete alphabetical arrangement of the entire county, whereby all persons residing in the county are found in the same place in the book, no matter whether they live in Washington, Jeffersonville, Good Hope or at any point in the county. For instance, all persons by the name of Smith are gathered together in five pages of the book, with the Christian names classified in alphabetical order to further assist one in locating a particular one.

This arrangement is followed throughout the book.

Mr. White is a veteran in the publication of directories and has compiled and printed directories in many cities and towns throughout the country. In this instance, however, he has exceeded himself, in that this is the first COUNTY directory that he has ever undertaken. The prevalence of rural delivery routes in this county made the county directory particularly desirable.

Directories, always expensive, have always commanded a price of from \$3.50 to \$4.00, and only limited numbers have been sold on that account. Before entering upon the work of compiling the present directory Mr. White submitted his plan to The Herald Publishing Company and a contract was entered into whereby a much larger edition should be printed and given to the people at a mere fraction of the prohibitive prices heretofore charged.

We are glad to say that the finest book of the kind ever published in Fayette county is the result of that arrangement and the price is only \$1.50, which includes subscription to

the Daily Herald or the Ohio State Register to the value of \$1.00. In other words, any person paying one dollar on subscription to the Daily Herald or Ohio State Register can have one of these county directories for only 50 cents extra—\$1.50 in all.

In no other way will they be sold, and they will not last long. Opportunities of this kind are not picked up very often. Had it not been for the contract made between the Herald Publishing Co. and Mr. White, only a small edition of directories would have been printed and the price would have been at least \$3.50 for the book alone. It, therefore, behooves every citizen to act quickly and make sure of getting a book for little or nothing, which will tell you at a glance all about the big family in Fayette county, of which you are one.

Send us \$1.50 and we will send a Directory and the Register for a year, or the Daily Herald to the value of one dollar. If you are already a subscriber to either of these papers, we will upon receipt of \$1.50 send you a Directory and extend your paid subscription to the value of one dollar.

## SHEDS LIGHT ON PROGRAM

### EMBODIES DAVIES' FINDINGS

Latter Holds There Are Immediate and Well Known Conditions That Can Be Remedied by Law—Would Inquire Into Claim That the Trust Is Socially and Economically Efficient in Production.

Washington, Dec. 16.—The annual report of Secretary Redfield of the department of commerce throws the first definite light on the present views of the administration in regard to the regulation of industrial corporations.

Joseph A. Davies, commissioner of corporations, is one of the men with whom the president has conferred in regard to the anti-trust program about to be introduced in congress. Mr. Davies' recommendations, incorporated in the report of the secretary of commerce, are therefore regarded with significance. This is what the report says on the inquiry:

"That there are immediate and well known conditions that should and can be remedied by law is apparent. Some of these remedies are, for instance, a law providing that all restraints of trade are unreasonable; that stocks and bonds shall not be issued except for money or property at its true money value; preventing the watering of stocks, and that corporations shall not hold stock in other competing companies.

"Whether the trust or monopolistic form is socially and economically efficient in production, as is alleged, is a fundamental economic fact to be determined; and upon the solution of this problem must depend the ultimate attitude of government toward combinations and consolidations in business."

The report urges an investigation by

the bureau of corporations to throw light on the question. Secretary Redfield advocates an appropriation of \$431,700 for this inquiry into the efficiency of industrial combinations. He says: "There is no criticism of big business as such, but merely as to whether big business has not its very marked limitations and whether there are not cases where big business is rather less desirable than efficiency."

Secretary Redfield declares that it is important that we should know the truth about the fixing of retail prices and as to whether giving the privilege of so fixing the prices by a manufacturer tends toward monopoly. An inquiry into the cost of production of clothing also is advocated by Secretary Redfield.

## MORE NEW ONES JOIN THE KNIGHTS

The membership contest now under way in the Knights of Pythias lodge in this city, is progressing very nicely, and so far 14 new applications have been turned in during the two weeks the campaign has been under way, and a large number of others have signified their intention of joining before the contest closes.

Monday night the report again showed Capt. Ol Sever and his corps of workers, to be in the lead. However the attendance was equal on both sides, as during the previous meeting.

Monday night, Dec. 29, work in the Page rank will be given, and it is believed that the work will add new enthusiasm to the movement for a larger membership.

The present effort to secure a large number of new members is the first that Confidence lodge has made for many years, and the result is pleasing to all of the members.

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## SUNDAY CONVERTS WILL CELEBRATE

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 16.—Rev. John W. Day, pastor of the First Presbyterian church and president of the Evangelical Association which brought Billy Sunday, the evangelist to Columbus, has received word from E. O. Excell of Chicago, the well-known writer of religious songs, saying he will be in Columbus Feb. 28, the anniversary of the Sunday meetings, and will lead the singing in the anniversary meeting at Memorial Hall. Mr. Excell said he would bring with him an organist, Mr. Roper.

Unusual amount of interest has been shown in the meeting to be held on the anniversary of the coming of the evangelist. More than 10,000 admission cards are being distributed to the converts. After 2 o'clock in the afternoon the meeting will be open to the public, providing there is room left.

## CANCER MICROBE FOUND BY FRENCHMAN

Montpellier, France, Dec. 16.—Dr. Bosc, professor of pathological anatomy at the University of Montpellier, who has been making extensive investigation into cancer, claims to have discovered the microbe of the disease. It is of the protozoa type and is found principally in water. A large number of insects, fish and warm-blooded animals act as carriers.

Professor Bosc, in his report on the subject, says he has traced a number of cases of cancer to insect bites and pricks from fish bones. He has also found intestinal cancer prevalent in villages where snails are eaten in large quantities.

## NAVY POINTS WAY

Washington, Dec. 16.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels finds in the reduced prices at which the navy department is now able to buy beef, because of the competition of Argentine beef with the domestic product, inspiration for the following statement: "What Uncle Sam has done on a great scale, individuals and smaller organizations can do on a lesser. Under the old high tariff law this saving could not be effected, but the recent tariff bill allows the importation of foreign meats free of duty."

## LANDS AGAIN

Washington, Dec. 16. — George H. Gee was again appointed postmaster at Salem, O., by President Wilson. Gee was appointed several months ago, but Senator Burton made such a fight against his confirmation that the special session of congress passed without Gee's getting the O. K. of the senate. It is said Senator Burton will not abandon the fight.

Boost Washington—Buy at home

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## MAKING SOIL FIT FOR NEW CROP

Recently a man bought and moved onto one of the poorest farms in the vicinity of Barnesville, Belmont county, Ohio. To the surprise of his neighbors he announced his intention of sowing some alfalfa. They ridiculed the idea and with good intentions insisted that it would be folly to risk time and money in such an experiment. However, as the newcomer was anxious to grow alfalfa he decided to find out if the handicap of a poor, sour soil could not be overcome. He had been told that the soil lacked in organic matter so he hauled from a nearby livery stable fifteen loads of manure to the acre. He would have preferred other manure because of the many timothy and weed seeds commonly found in such stable manure, but being a practical man he took what was at hand. Experience and observation showed the soil to be acid. Accordingly he gave it a heavy application of some form of burned lime. A liberal dress-

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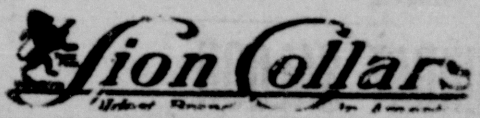


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## World-wide Search Ended

A world-wide search for the stolen masterpiece, "Mona Lisa" was ended a few days ago when the famous painting was found in Florence, Italy.

The consternation which followed the theft of this priceless masterpiece of Leonardo Da Vince, in August, 1911, and the sensation of its recovery, go far to show that the world is not as utterly sordid as we sometimes think, and that the rare and beautiful still retain their pinnacle in surrounding often soulless and gross.

Special editions of the newspapers carried the good news the length and breadth of Paris, where it was the sole topic of conversation. Wires flashed word of the find over Europe and cables brought it to countries across the ocean.

People at large everywhere, shared in the overwhelming joy felt by the art world in the solving of what had been regarded as an unfathomable mystery, and the restoration of one of the Louvre's greatest treasures.

The value of the "Mona Lisa" can only be imagined since all offers to buy it were refused. It was currently reported that the British government had made an offer of \$5,000,000.

But there was no thought of parting with the jewel of France's art treasure house, and the painting hung in a room which was supposed to be always watched. Its absence from its accustomed place was not noticed by its guardians until some hours after it was thought to have been stolen on the morning of August 22nd, 1911.

Ever since then the police of the entire world have been on the trail of the thief, who, probably thinking the lapse of time made him safe, at last offered the picture for sale to an antiquarian of Rome. The picture was at once recognized and the man, who called himself, Perugia, admitted its theft, claiming that he stole the masterpiece from the Louvre to avenge the taking of it from Italy by Napoleon, to enrich the famous art collection which France acquired through the Emperor's invasion.

Perugia posed as a patriot. He said: "I was ashamed that for more than a century no Italian had thought of emulating the spoilation committed by Frenchmen under Napoleon, carrying off from Italian museums and galleries pictures, statues and treasures of all kinds.

The picture was stolen early in the morning and he hid it under his workman's blouse and succeeded in getting it away unseen.

Everything points to the truth of the man's story and the theft was apparently that of a cunning mad man.

There seems to be no doubt of the genuineness of this picture, upon which Da Vinci worked for four years. Notwithstanding all the vicissitudes it has undergone, it is in a perfect state of preservation and has the marks on the back where it was fastened to the walls of the Louvre.

The Italian government promptly informed the French ambassador of the gratification felt by Italy in being able to restore the painting and dispatches from Florence, say it will be returned to France with great ceremony.

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We have just received a shipment of extra fine

**Glacé Pineapple**

large, white slices of the best quality, per lb. 40c

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Pearl Flake Pop Corn in packages, each 5c

Malaga Grapes, large clusters per pound 20c

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Made chiefly from selected dates and nuts and is a delicious "spread for bread." Price 10c a glass.

We have a large assortment of Christmas Candies and Candy Boxes come in and let us show you.

**Premier Packages Contain Best Things to Eat.**

## Poetry For Today

### Christmas Treasures

By EUGENE FIELD.

I COUNT my treasures o'er with care—  
A little toy that baby knew,  
A little sock of faded hue,  
A little lock of golden hair.  
Long years ago this Christmas time  
My little one—my all to me—  
Sat robed in white upon my knee  
And heard the merry Christmas chime.

"Tell me, my little golden head,  
If Santa Claus should come tonight,  
What shall he bring my baby bright,  
What treasure for my boy?" I said.  
And then he named the little toy  
White in his hand and truthful eyes  
There came a look of glad surprise  
That spoke his trustful, childish joy.



And as he lisped his evening prayer  
He asked the boon with baby grace,  
And, toddling to the chimney place,  
He hung his little stocking there.  
That night as lengthening shadows crept  
I saw the white-winged angels come  
With music to our humble home  
And kiss my darling as he slept.

He must have heard that baby prayer,  
For in the morn, with glowing face,  
He toddled to the chimney place  
And found the little treasure there.  
They came again one Christmas tide,  
That angel host so fair and white,  
And, singing all the Christmas night,  
They lured my darling from my side.

A little sock, a little toy,  
A little lock of golden hair,  
The Christmas music on the air,  
A-watching for my baby boy,  
But if again that angel train  
And golden head come back for me  
To bear me to eternity  
My watching will not be in vain.

## Weather Report

Washington, December 16.—Ohio and Indiana—Fair Tuesday and probably Wednesday; moderate south-west and west winds.  
Illinois—Fair Tuesday, Wednesday increasing cloudiness; moderate south-west and west winds.  
Tennessee and Kentucky—Fair Tuesday; Wednesday increasing cloudiness.  
West Virginia—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.  
Lower Michigan—Fair Tuesday and probably Wednesday; moderate west winds.

### WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 7 p. m. Monday:

	Temp.	Weather.
Boston	34	Clear
New York	36	Clear
Buffalo	38	Cloudy
Washington	40	Clear
Chicago	36	Cloudy
Columbus	39	Clear
St. Louis	42	Cloudy
St. Paul	36	Clear
Los Angeles	64	Clear
New Orleans	58	Clear
Tampa	66	Clear
Seattle	50	Clear

### Weather Forecast.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Indications for tomorrow:  
Ohio—Probably fair.

## OLD ONES PREFERRED

Columbus, O., Dec. 16.—Civil service examinations for would-be district assessors, of whom 1,500 are to be appointed in the various counties, will be held in the county seats during the first week of January. The exact date is to be announced later. That preference is to be given old assessors is noted in the fact that experience is to count one-half in making up the required number of units.

## DRYS CONTEST

Steubenville, O., Dec. 16.—A petition was filed in court here to set aside the Beal law election at Mingo Junction, where the majority was 12 wet, because of alleged irregularities and fraudulent voting. A number of voters are under arrest. Amsterdam, a mining town in Jefferson county, voted wet by 20 majority. The vote stood 129 wet to 109 dry.

## FIVE IMPORTANT QUESTIONS TAPPED

Washington, Dec. 16.—Five important questions will be decided by the Republican national committee, which is in session here today. They involve the recognition of state laws as to the manner of choosing delegates to national conventions, minimizing the number of contestants for seats in conventions, tenure of committeemen to expire upon the election of their successors, the creation of a new tribunal to hear contestants, and changing the basis of representation. The question of a special national Republican convention also will be decided.

Chairman Charles D. Hilles, in an address to members, said: "In order that we may again triumph, we must have some motive other than a desire to win. We are the trustees of the Republican party, a fact which should inspire in us a sense of cogent responsibility. Republicans and former Republicans can go very far in a protocol of union if a surrender of principles is not involved. We will not embrace theories of government that are destructive of all that we hold essential to the maintenance of liberty regulated by law."

Sherman Granger, the Ohio member of the national committee, is opposed to the calling of a special national convention next year. Other Ohioans are against the special convention, among them being Congressman Fess of the Sixth district, who issued an extended statement explaining his opposition.

## SCHMIDT DRANK VICTIM'S BLOOD

New York, Dec. 16.—The declared confession of Hans Schmidt of how he killed Anna Aumuller was read aloud to the jury by Assistant District Attorney Murphy, to whom Schmidt confessed last September. The recital of his deed did not move the slayer from his attitude of calmness.

In this confession Schmidt said that he cut the girl's throat first. "She didn't feel it at all," he commented. Then he drank some of her blood. Afterward he cut the body to pieces.

When asked why he did murder her he turned to Mr. Murphy and demanded: "Have you read the Bible? Have you read of the sacrifice Abraham was called upon to make of his son Isaac?" Schmidt also confessed to "marrying" Anna Aumuller, conducting the ceremony himself, about four months before he killed her.

## TEST LIQUOR LAW

Columbus, O., Dec. 16.—The Toledo case to test the liquor license law has reached the Ohio supreme court. The claim is made that law is invalid because it permits licenses to be issued to corporations, whereas the constitution restricts licenses to citizens of the United States; that it attempts to create a monopoly in the saloon business; that it offends against the United States constitution, which forbids a state to make or enforce a law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of any citizen. The lower courts upheld the law.

## TO IMPROVE PRETTY HAIR AND BEAUTIFY UGLY HAIR

Harmony Hair Beautifier, a delightful liquid hair dressing, is just what it is named—a hair beautifier. No matter how pretty your hair now is, it can be made to look even better by using Harmony Hair Beautifier. To those who mourn because the hair is stringy, dull, lusterless and homely, Harmony Hair Beautifier will prove a real blessing and pleasure. It seems to polish and burnish the hair, making it glossy, silky-soft and more easy to put up in graceful, wavy folds that "stay put." It overcomes the oily smell of the hair with a dainty, true-rose fragrance, very pleasing to the user and those around.

Very easy to apply—simply sprinkle a little on your hair each time before brushing it. It contains no oil, and will not change the color of the hair, nor darken gray hair.

To keep hair and scalp dandruff-free and clean, use Harmony Shampoo. This pure liquid shampoo gives an instantaneous rich lather that immediately penetrates to every part of hair and scalp, insuring a quick, thorough cleansing. Washed off just as quickly, the entire operation takes only a few moments. Contains nothing that can harm the hair; leaves no harshness or stickiness—just a sweet cleanliness.

Both preparations come in odd-shaped, very ornamental bottles, with sprinkler tops. Harmony Hair Beautifier, \$1.00. Harmony Shampoo, 50c. Both guaranteed to satisfy in every way, or your money back. Sold in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store—one of the more than 7,000 leading drug stores of the United States, Canada and Great Britain, which own the big Harmony laboratories in Boston, where the many celebrated Harmony Perfumes and Toilet Preparations are made. Blackmer & Tanquary. Advt.

## Rub MUSTEROLE on That Sore, Tight Chest!

Try this clean, white, soothing ointment. See how quickly it brings relief. MUSTEROLE does all that the old-fashioned mustard plaster used to do in the days of our grandmothers, but it does it without the blister.

Doctors and nurses frankly recommend MUSTEROLE for sore Throat, Bronchitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Congestion, Plurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Pains and Aches of the Back or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Bruises, Chilblains, Frosted Feet—Colds in the Chest (It prevents Pneumonia).



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## Dancing School

Thursday and Friday Eve., Dec. 18-19

Lessons will be given in the TANGO and HESITATION Waltz Thursday Night for Married People Only. Friday Night Lesson 7:30 to 9. Assembly 9 to 12. Lessons 50c. Two lessons will be given in each dance.

**Perce Pearce, Instructor**

## HOLD GERRY TO THE TINKER DEAL

New York, Dec. 16.—"The Brooklyn club will stand pat on the purchase of Joe Tinker from the Cincinnati club for \$25,000," declared President C. H. Ebbetts when he had received a telegram from the Cincinnati club's board of directors informing him of its disapproval of the disposal of Tinker for cash.

"I have sent a letter to President Tener explaining that Tinker deal," Ebbetts said, "and I expect Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh club, who was a witness to the transaction last Friday night, to mail the original signed agreement to the president of the league."

If President Herrmann doesn't insist upon the enforcement of the agreement, baseball men say that he will stand discredited and will be compelled not only to resign the presidency of the club, but also as chairman of the national commission. According to rule 12, governing the national commission, all trades or sales must be signed by the president of each interested club or its authorized agent. Herrmann, as president of the club, had full authority to close negotiations with Ebbetts. The Cincinnati magnate dictated the terms of the deal, too.

## SEVERAL PERSONS LOSE THEIR LIVES

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 16.—The industrial home of the Salvation Army on Freeman avenue was partially destroyed by fire. One hundred inmates, mostly old men, were sleeping in the building, but the police think they succeeded in rescuing all but one or two persons reported missing. One of the missing persons is the little daughter of George Watkins, superintendent of the home. Firemen discovered the body of a burned man and say that there are several more in the building. One man was taken out of the building fatally burned.

The Salvation Army officials were given orders by the city building inspector two weeks ago to take out of the building all material kept there for sale, such as bedding, mattresses and other things, but it is claimed that the order had not been carried out.

### Harvard to Meet Michigan.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 16.—Graduate Manager Fred W. Moore of Harvard received word from the University of Michigan regarding the scheduling of a football game between the Crimson and the Wolverines next fall, and believes that one will be arranged.

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## SEE S.J. VANPELT For Motorcycle Repairs

## FREE POTATOES

Washington, Dec. 16. — Germany, Holland, Denmark, Ireland and other European countries will be represented at the hearing Thursday by agricultural department officials to determine whether an embargo on all potatoes coming into this country shall be ordered. A partial embargo on potatoes known to be diseased is now being enforced.

## INCREASE CAPITAL

Cleveland, O., Dec. 16.—The authorized capital stock of the Northern Ohio Traction and Light company will be increased from \$13,000,000 to \$15,000,000 at the annual meeting of the stockholders Jan. 24. The increase will be held in the treasury to provide future improvements.

## If You Require Glasses

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# BAKER AUTO TRANSIT CO. INCORPORATES FOR \$10,000

LOCAL MAN WILL FURNISH SEDALIA WITH MEANS OF REACHING THE OUTSIDE WORLD. AND HAS PLACED AN ORDER FOR ANOTHER MOTOR BUS FOR NEW LINE — SPRINGFIELD MERCHANTS REAP HARVEST FROM NEW VENTURE.

George W. Baker, owner of the Springfield and Washington railway and the motor bus line between Jeffersonville and South Charleston, has decided to launch another motor bus venture, and has succeeded in obtaining sanction of the Secretary of State to incorporate a company with a capital stock of \$10,000, with the object of operating the line between Jeffersonville and South Charleston and the latter place and Sedalia.

The Baker Auto Transit company, as the new concern is called, has the following incorporators: George W.

Baker, William W. Keifer, and Floyd Baker.

An order for another motor bus has been placed, it is claimed, and it will be placed in commission between Sedalia and South Charleston within the next two or three months.

The present bus line is being operated successfully between Jeffersonville and South Charleston, and is drawing an immense trade toward Springfield, and if the second motor bus is placed in use between Sedalia and South Charleston, it will take another block of business away from Washington merchants, unless some method is taken to keep the trade coming toward this city, it is claimed.

As Sedalia has no dependable way of reaching the outside world, the citizens of that place are very enthusiastic over the prospect of being connected with the outside world even once each day, and they are very much in favor of the latest proposal made by Mr. Baker.

Jeffersonville and community has been flooded with special inducements made by the Springfield merchants.

## Y. M. C. A. NOTES

At a meeting of the Social committee held last night, the arrangements were all completed for the New Years open house and reception to be held on January 1st. Complete program will be announced before the close of the week.

The L. P. C. Bible class held a very interesting session last night.

The Council of the Boys' City government meets tonight at 7:00, to

transact necessary business for the Boys' department.

Carl Moore of Bloomingburg will assume the duties of Office Secretary to succeed Ralph Strobel, who leaves January 1st.

The first coat of plaster has been put on in the Stinson building, and it is expected that the plastering will be finished by the first of January. Extensive alterations are being made on the first floor of the Sharp building.

The building will be closed all Christmas day.

## W. R. C.

All members of the W. R. C. who wish to contribute to the Christmas box, will please leave contributions at Willard Martin's store or with Mrs. N. S. Craig, not later than Wednesday.

## CHINA SALE.

MYRTLE MCCOY WILL HOLD A SALE OF HAND-PAINTED CHINA AT BARNETT'S GROCERY, BEGINNING FRIDAY, DEC. 19. 295 3t

## CLASSIFIED

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

FOR SALE—One new rubber tire storm buggy. Inquire of T. E. Brown or Rothrock and Brown's Livery barn. 295 6t

Look for the Young Men's Choral club booth at F. L. Stutson's

## THE NEW STORE

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## Neckwear

By far the largest assortment of patterns and styles in Washington. Imperials, Flowing Ends, Folds, Knits and reversable Four-in-Hands, put up in holiday boxes.

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Better Neckwear, too, 75c and \$1.00

## Combination Sets

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## Smoking Jackets

If he smokes, we call it a Smoking Jacket—but if he doesn't, it's a House Coat.

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## In Social Circles

MISS FLORENCE USTICK, SOCIETY EDITOR

The engagement of Miss Marie Silcott, elder daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James Silcott, of Cincinnati, to Mr. Eugene Denton, also of Cincinnati, has been announced.

The wedding will take place in February.

The engagement will be learned with much interest by a large circle of friends in this city, the former home of the Silcotts.

Handsome invitations in the Christmas colors of crimson and green, for the "Annual Christmas Dance," under

the auspices of the Terpsichorean club, went out this morning.

The dance will be held Christmas night at the Pythian Castle and promises to be the event of Christmas week.

The Thanksgiving dance, under the same auspices, was such a conspicuous success and so splendidly managed, that it augurs equal success for the Christmas dance.

If possible, the arrangements will be on an even more elaborate scale. Horstman's orchestra will furnish the music.

Mrs. John Carr and daughter, Miss Ruth Carr, returned to their home in Jeffersonville today after several days' visit with Mrs. Ashley Wood and daughter, Miss Clara Wood.

Mrs. Earl Mauck is visiting in Dayton and expects to remain until after the holidays.

Mrs. Ella Kouns has returned to her home in Columbus after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. rman Price and two children, visited relatives in Columbus over Sunday.

Evelyn Sadders, the little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Sadders, is recovering from a severe attack of bronchitis.

Mrs. Mary B. Hale leaves Wednesday for Little Rock, Ark., where she will visit Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baer and Mr. and Mrs. Thane Willson before going on to Corpus Christi, Texas, to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wike went to Columbus today to see "The Blue Bird" at the Great Southern tonight.

Mrs. G. M. Paul returned Monday evening from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Will Enderlin, at Chillicothe. Mrs. Paul is improving after a serious nervous breakdown and is better than she has been for some time.

Mrs. Fred Sprenger visited with her husband in Springfield the past two days. Mr. Sprenger is temporarily connected with the branch of the Inskeep Manufacturing Co. factory, located at Springfield.

Commissioner Harry Brown is able to be out after an attack of the grippe.

Messrs. N. S. Barnett and Ed Fite made a business trip to Cincinnati Monday.

Look for the Young Men's Choral club booth at Leo Katz & Co.

## THE MUNICIPAL CHRISTMAS TREE

Committees have been appointed by pastors of the churches to solicit donations and make possible the plan of holding a Municipal Christmas tree in this city, as advocated by The Herald Monday, December 8th.

So far very little has been done in the matter, but a meeting will, in all probability be held within a short time, and if the movement is to be pushed to success, plans will be made accordingly.

Look for the Young Men's Choral club booth at Craig Bros.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. H. C. Teachnor is on a business trip to Southern Ohio.

Mrs. John Waddell and Mrs. Lou Waddell are shopping visitors here from Greenfield.

Mrs. G. M. Paul returned last night from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Will Enderlin, in Chillicothe.

Mrs. W. B. Davis, of Williamsport, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Emmer Edwards.

Miss Hazel Wood and Mr. Aca Oliver returned to their home at Bowesville Monday, after a visit at the home of their uncle, Mr. S. M. Oliver.

Mrs. C. F. Campbell and son, Alexander, are spending the day in Cincinnati.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Godfrey Monday, a daughter.

Mrs. Eva J. Penn and Mrs. G. S. Hodson spent Monday in Columbus.

Mr. H. C. Shoop and daughter visited in Dayton the first of the week.

Mr. Zane Bush and sister, Mrs. Anna Bush Coffman are spending a few days in Cincinnati.

Burnett Hyer returned to the O. S. U. Monday after spending Sunday with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Hyer.

Mrs. Charles Ballard and Miss Minnie Light are in Columbus to see "The Blue Bird" at the Southern theater.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and Miss Edith Blackburn made a trip to Columbus today, Miss Blackburn going to consult Dr. Beatty, the eye specialist. Mr. Johnson met with quite a painful accident just before they started. In cranking his machine he slipped and struck his forehead against the radiator with such force that a gash was cut clear to the bone.

Mr. Wayne Mason, of Los Angeles, Cal., is the guest of Mrs. Ruth Brownell and daughter, Miss Lucy. Mr. Mason was called to Columbus by the death of his niece, Miss Barbara Harte.

Mrs. Ray Maynard went to Cincinnati today to be the guest of Mrs. Hugh Adams. Mrs. Adams entertains in Mrs. Maynard's honor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ging have returned from a wedding trip to Cincinnati and have gone to housekeeping on Van Deman avenue, Millwood.

Mr. F. E. Miller and Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Smith, of Columbus, spent Sunday with Mr. J. C. Miller and family on Briar avenue.

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The stunning Marabou and Ostrich Scarfs, Chiffon and Maline Scarfs, Dainty Fichus, Collars and Bows.

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The prettiest line we have ever shown

**98c Splendid Selection Christmas Umbrellas 98c**  
Specially good Umbrella with Trimmed Handles at

COME AND SEE US

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## MUST SECURE MORE EVIDENCE

STELLA ALLEN FAILS TO CONVINCE JUDGE THAT SHE IS ENTITLED TO DIVORCE FROM MAN WHO WAS RECENTLY ARRESTED WHEN HE APPEARED AT HOME OF FATHER-IN-LAW WITH GUN, ASKING TO BE SHOT IF HE COULD NOT HAVE HIS WIFE.

Nearly all day Monday the case of Stella Allen against Frank Allen, in which the plaintiff asked for divorce, charging her husband with a number of inhuman acts as grounds for divorce, was heard before Probate Judge Allen, and after the evidence was all in Judge Allen refused to grant a divorce to Mrs. Allen, holding that the evidence had not been sufficient to sustain the sensational charges she had made against her husband.

The trial was held behind closed doors, with U. G. Creamer and E. L. Bush representing the plaintiff and Rankin and Rankin, the defendant.

After the evidence for the plaintiff had been given in detail and met with contradictory evidence from the side of the defendant, Judge Allen continued the case for one week, informing the plaintiff that additional evidence must be forthcoming in that time or the case would be dismissed.

An important part of the testimony was given by Mrs. Allen when she stated that her father, Frank Huff-

man, had threatened to not give her any interest in his estate if she continued to live with Allen.

In connection with the case, it will be recalled, the local authorities were called upon a few weeks ago to take Allen in charge, as he had appeared at the residence of his father-in-law with a gun in his hands, demanding his wife and frightening the family very much. He asked to be shot if he could not have his wife.

When the trial was held for that offense, Allen was released. The parties involved in the suit reside near Bookwalter.

It has been calculated that nearly 300,000,000 feet or over 55,000 miles of film are used up yearly to satisfy the world's demand for moving pictures.

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Thermos Bottles, \$1.00 each. Ivory Buffers, 50c to \$1.00

Fountain Pens, \$1.00 to \$5.00. Bridge Sets, \$1.00 to \$2.00

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### CHORAL CLUB.

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# FEDERALS ARE AFTER VILLA

## REBEL OUTLOOK NOT BRIGHT

Strategy Believed to Have Been Behind the Federal Evacuation of Chihuahua, General Villa's Forces Apparently Being in a Pocket—Ojinaga Held by Four Thousand Government Troops.

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 16. — Federals under command of General Rubio Navarette, after retaking the city of Torreon from the rebels, are declared to be moving north in the direction of Chihuahua city, General Villa's headquarters.

With most of Villa's men besieging the federals at Ojinaga, it begins to look as if Villa would have to quit Chihuahua or get trapped.

American army officers are wondering if federal strategy was not behind the evacuation of Chihuahua. General Mercado and his army marched from the state capital and let Villa march in without a fight. Then Villa sent most of his men after the federals at Ojinaga, and now the Navarette command is coming from the south against Chihuahua.

From the direction of Nuevo Leon and Coahuila another federal command is said to be marching against Chihuahua. If the rebel leader recalls his men from Ojinaga, the 4,000 federals there can march west to Juarez and cut off his base of supplies. As Juarez could easily be taken by such a federal force as Mercado now has with him. If the rebels at Ojinaga remain there to attack the federals, then Villa is in danger of being driven back to Juarez, out of Chihuahua, by Navarette and the Coahuila-Nuevo Leon column. The rebel outlook in Chihuahua is less bright than it has been for a month past.

Ojinaga, which the federal command holds, is said to be almost impregnable, and American officers on border duty there expressed the opinion that the rebels can not take it from the 4,000 federals now holding it under Mercado. The town itself is on top of a hill.

Luis Terrazas, Jr., has already been forced to sign checks for \$250,000 Mexican currency, as a part of his ransom money.

## FATHER-SON MOVE

Cleveland, O., Dec. 16. — A father-and-son movement is to be inaugurated here soon. The object is to promote a closer understanding and a spirit of comradeship between fathers and their sons. Robert E. Lewis, secretary of the Cleveland Y. M. C. A., will issue a call some time this week for a meeting, at which plans for the movement will be arranged. He will have the assistance of Mayor Newton D. Baker and other leading citizens.

## VOLCANO ACTIVE

Melbourne, Dec. 16.—The volcano on Ambrym island, one of the New Hebrides, has been very active recently. Six new craters were formed on Dec. 14, and the central cone collapsed the next day. Part of the island has been overwhelmed by lava and cinders and it is believed that many natives have been killed.

Colonel S. L. Mooney, 84, multimillionaire of Woodfield, O., and Miss Carolyn Ellis, 54, of Marietta, O., were married at the latter place.

Every bone in the body of Darley Richards, 22, was broken when he was caught in a shafting at a Newark (O.) creamery and whirled to death.

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## PRAYER MEETINGS TO BE HELD TONIGHT

Schedule of prayer meetings for Tuesday, December 16, 7:30 to 8:00 p. m. Topic, "The Power of Prayer." Acts 1:14; Jas. 5:16-18.

District No. 1.—Mr. Crooks, leader, Mrs. Hall; Mrs. Martin, leader, Mr. Harrop; Herbert Chapman, leader, Mr. Van Gundy; Geo. Olinger, leader, A. Snider.

District No. 2.—The meeting at Mrs. Williams, N. North street, will be led by Mazie Kessler; at Peter Poole's, Eastern avenue, by Mrs. Weller.

Meetings will be held at the following homes also: Supt. Wm. McClain, N. North St., leader Mr. McClain.

Mrs. Bert Ford, Forest St., leader, Mrs. E. T. Evans.

District No. 2 has been divided into two sections:

Sec. A.—From Paint street to B. & O. R. R. Capt. Mrs. Blackmore.

Sec. B.—B. & O. R. R. to corporation line. Captain, Harry Wood.

District No. 3.—Mrs. Quinn, leader, M. E. Hitchcock; C. A. Reid, leader, J. N. Rothrock; Mrs. Stuckey, O. G. Blackwell.

District No. 4.—Geo. Jenkins, leader John Near; Mrs. Rodgers, Sherman Bishop; W. C. Briggs, S. E. Irvin; Wm. Davenport, S. W. Brown; Dr. Robinson, Mrs. Wm. Craig; Mrs. DeWees, Mrs. Charles Stafford; Mr. S. S. Cockerill, J. T. Tuttle; C. H. Lewis, Mrs. S. E. Adams.

District No. 5.—2:30 p. m. Mrs. Nat. Squires, Mrs. M. O. Ireland; Mrs. Kelley, Mrs. N. S. Craig; Jas. Snapp, Mrs. Campbell.

District No. 6.—Ell Craig, Mrs. Ross; Jud Clark, A. J. Waller; A. S. Evans, T. H. Craig.

District No. 7.—Wm. Bishop, Wm. DeWees; Wm. Kidd, Mrs. Colaw; Wm. Mannering, J. S. Harper.

District No. 8.—Ben Davis, Chas. Householder.

Chas. Himmler's, S. Fayette, leader, Mrs. Amanda Priest.

Mr. Haynes', S. Hinde, leader Mrs. Simms.

District No. 9.—Mr. Powless, Mrs. Walter McLean; Mrs. Purdue, Mrs. Bradfute; Mrs. McHenry, Mrs. Spray.

**PYTHIAN SISTERS.** Regular meeting of Washington Temple No. 380, Tuesday evening, December 16th, at 7 o'clock.

Assembly dance. All members invited.

EMMA WILSON, M. E. C. IDA C. GILLESPIE, M. of R. & C.

**MITE SOCIETY MEETS.** The Wesley Chapel Mite Society will meet at the home of Mrs. James Hays, S. North street, Wednesday, December 17th, 2:30 p. m.

**AID SOCIETY.** The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Jennie Mark on Temple street, Wednesday, December 17 at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Austin's famous pancakes make a really delicious wholesome breakfast.

**Rob and Kill Picture Show Man.** Cleveland, O., Dec. 15.—Samuel Shagrin, 37, proprietor of a motion picture show, died from a bullet wound received in a battle with footpads. Shagrin was robbed of \$150.

## If You Are Weak And "Run Down"

Common sense demands that the first thing to be done is to put both your nerves and blood into a healthy condition. Your nerves direct the work of your various organs and the blood feeds them. Unless both nerves and blood are in health, you can't be well. Common sense also demands that the medicine you take serve both the above purposes—both tones and strengthens the nerves and nourishes the blood.

Such a medicine is Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion, the ideal nerve and blood food tonic—not an alcoholic beverage, as many so-called "tonics" are. Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion does not contain a drop of alcohol, nor any dangerous or habit-forming drug. It puts new life and health and strength into rundown systems, because every ingredient in it is put in for that purpose, and not to merely stimulate. Unlike alcoholic "medicines," it does not show its effect in a renewed liveliness immediately after taking a dose. The effects begin to be felt in a few days, however, and they last because the whole system has been strengthened and health is being renewed. If this is not your experience we want you to come back for your money.

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## The Giving of Gifts



If one is going to give a Christmas present it should be with a cheerful heart. If you can't give in this spirit do not give at all. We give presents to our friends at Christmas because they are our friends and because we derive pleasure from such giving. In the giving of Christmas presents there should be none of that spirit which suggests commercialism. There should never be any expectation of reciprocity. The giving of a Christmas present should be from the heart. The present itself counts for little. The spirit and motive which prompt the giving are all important.

## Easy Lessons in Cooking and Baking

By EMILY RIESENBERG

### PLAIN MILK ROLLS.

**Method.** Take some dough as for Parker House rolls. When ready to shape divide into small pieces and roll each into a smooth ball; lay well apart on a greased tin and brush with milk before putting into oven and after taking out. If you want to keep them soft for a second day, lay them so they touch. They will run together. When done let them cool without separating. When ready to use break apart and you have soft, flaky rolls.

### POPPY SEED ROLLS.

**Method.** Proceed as directed for milk rolls. Set well apart, and before putting into oven brush with melted butter and strew poppy seed over.

### PLAIN BREAD ROLLS.

**Method.** Take a part of the bread dough and divide into small pieces, roll these into little balls, and set side by side in a flat greased pan. When quite light, bake until well done and light brown. Rub tops with a little butter before breaking apart. These are best eaten fresh.

**Started Fire With Oil.** Steubenville, O., Dec. 16.—Mrs. John Kelt, 41, of Rush Run, attempted to start a fire with coal oil. An explosion followed and she was so severely burned that she died soon afterward.

## DRAWING PARENTS TO THE SCHOOLS

The following article is being published in newspapers throughout the state, having been issued by the College of Agriculture, Ohio State University, in one of the regular news letters issued:

By holding an exhibit of school work which attracts the attention of almost all the people of their community, the pupils and teachers of the public school at Bloomingburg, Fayette county, Ohio, have shown what can be accomplished in the way of making an attractive school exhibit. Each department of the school planned and arranged their exhibits which included representative work that has been done by the pupils since the beginning of the term.

Among the things shown are: manuscripts, collected since the opening of school, showing the progress the children have made; nature work, such as the mounting of leaves and botany specimens; displays of farm products by both girls and boys; illustrated booklets made by the pupils themselves and designed after some story read in the schoolroom; and displays of drawings. In the primary grades, sewing has been successfully introduced this year and the little children busily at work sewing during the exhibit attracted as much attention as any part of the school work.

These exhibits are being held in many other schools in the state and the good that they are accomplishing is well illustrated in the one held recently at the Bloomingburg school. By actually seeing what their sons and daughters are doing at school, parents are more willing and anxious to provide better buildings and equipment.

### John D. Opens Up.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 16. — Compelled by the illness of his wife to remain here over Christmas, John D. Rockefeller is planning the biggest holiday celebration ever seen at Forest Hill. All his old-time friends have been invited.

Buy, Rent, Sell or Trade—Want Ads.

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## CARRANZA ASKED TO SHOW AUTHORITY

Washington, Dec. 16.—The Wilson administration apparently has recognized General Carranza as the head of the revolution in Mexico and so much of a government as the Constitutionalists assume to maintain. This was indicated here when Secretary Bryan admitted that the state department was making representations to General Carranza regarding the excesses which General Villa is accused of committing at Chihuahua.

## MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR

Columbus, O., Dec. 16.—Finley Stevens, aged about 60, was badly beaten in the presence of his wife and daughter and their home was demolished by five men, who used a taxicab in their mysterious mission to the Stevens residence. Stevens says the men demanded that he pay them the rental for the house and that when he informed them he had paid his rent, he said they attacked him and destroyed his furniture.

## GAVE HER BLOOD

Cleveland, O., Dec. 16.—Coming as a volunteer in response to an appeal by the Rev. J. R. McAlpine, Mrs. Anna Van Burton gave blood in an effort to save the life of Miss Mary Armstrong, 28, a patient at Glenville hospital. The transfusion operation was pronounced successful by the physicians, although both women are very weak.

## Old Members

BRING NEW MEMBERS TO THE BUCKEYE STATE BUILDING AND LOAN CO, BECAUSE—

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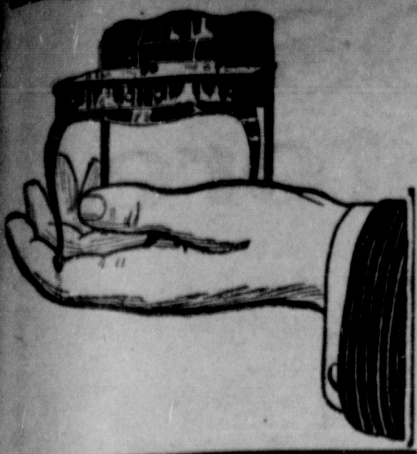
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**WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.**  
The Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will hold their Christmas meeting with Mrs. A. F. Hopkins, Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. All the ladies of the church are cordially invited.  
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FOR RENT—Four rooms at 401 E. Paint street. 292 6t

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FOR RENT—Flat in the Burke building, five rooms and a bath, with all conveniences. Inquire at Burke Monument Works. 286 tf

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FOR RENT—House on Columbus avenue. Mrs. Wm. Rice. 255 tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 228 N. Fayette street. 236 tf

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WANTED—Sewing. Call Louise Rice, Citizens phone 450. 290 6t

WANTED—Washings to do. Mrs. Mary Wilson. Call Mrs. Jas. Hillery. 290 6t

WANTED—Two lady collectors; must have experience. Apply at the office of Home Telephone Co. 289 tf

WANTED—Woman to help cook. Apply at once. Hyer's Restaurant. 284 tf

WANTED—Ladies to select their supply of Holiday Greeting cards at Rodecker's News Stand, while the assortment is good.

### LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Lady's tan glove. Leave at Kola's store. 291 6t

## MORE B. & O. EMPLOYEES ARE TURNED OUT OF WORK

SERIOUS SITUATION IN CHILLICOTHE WHERE 600 B. & O. SHOP MEN HAVE BEEN FURLOUGHED FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD—ROLLING STOCK OF ROAD IS SAID TO BE IN CONDITION NOT ABLE TO WITHSTAND LONG NEGLECT.

As a result of 600 B. & O. shop employes being furloughed in Chillicothe, that city is now facing a serious problem, as the large number being thrown out of work at this time of the year makes the problem a very serious one, and it is the hardest blow Chillicothe has received since the flood last March.

A few days ago 400 men were given notice that their services would not be required any more at the present time, and since then 200 more have been furloughed for an indefinite period, and the 600 idle men are at a loss which way to turn to keep the wolf from the door and secure money with which to give their families the kind of a Christmas they have been used to.

The only explanation given by the railroad officials is that the furloughing has been absolutely necessary owing to the recent increase in wages all over the system, and the Chillicothe shops are not the only ones where the lay-off has been brought into play in order to cut down expenses.

Regarding the action of the B. & O. officials, the Chillicothe Gazette says: "It is also claimed that the demand for increased freight rates, which is being pushed, is bolstered up by these reductions in the working forces and that all the railroads in the country are following out the plan, so that they can show the Interstate Commerce Commission that

they must either gain the five per cent increase in freight rates, or they must cut down their working forces and curtail the efficiency of the railroad to an extent which will allow the road to continue and earn its fixed charges by cutting down the mobile charges.

How long the furlough will continue and what will be the outcome is not known.

Engineers and operating employes say that the rolling stock of the road is not up to standard and that engines are continually dying on them and still the shops where these engines should be placed in first class condition are not running and consequently the entire business of the railroad is suffering while car service is denied the complaint registered by some of the shippers along the line.

Those who read the last statement of the railroad claim that they can not see why the road should not go ahead and prosper, as there was no defaulting on any of the securities of the road which are held principally in Germany and Holland, and if the public must suffer and the employes suffer too, they are claiming that some of the water in the road should be sealed down to a basis where proper relations between investment and effort could be established.

The effect on the business of Chillicothe is going to be disastrous if the furlough continues for any long time, as the local merchants now are complaining of having to carry so much credit tied up and there is no outlet for these employes, who simply have got to live. It is an era of hard times which it is really hoped will not last long, for the benefit first of the employed, and secondly for those who have business relations with the employes; and thirdly, because Chillicothe would like to see the B. & O. S. W. a bang-up railroad, first class in every respect."

## What Cures Eczema?

We have had so many inquiries lately regarding Eczema and other skin diseases, that we are glad to make our answer public. After careful investigation we have found that a simple wash of oil of Wintergreen, as compounded in D. D. D. Prescription, can be relied upon. We would not make this statement to our patrons, friends and neighbors unless we were sure of it—and although there are many so-called Eczema remedies sold, we ourselves unhesitatingly recommend D. D. D. Prescription.

Drop into our store today, just to talk over the merits of this wonderful Prescription.

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## NAME OF ROOT PLEASES TAFT

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 16.—"The nomination of Senator Root for president by the Republican party would be gratifying to me—highly gratifying. I would be delighted to see him in the White House. I regard Mr. Root as a statesman in the same class with Alexander Hamilton. He is more than a statesman, too. He is a profound lawyer. I am a professor and out of politics. As to his political availability, I am not a judge."

## FEMALE FOOTPADS

Marion, O., Dec. 16.—Two husky colored women were arrested, charged with pulling off two bold holdups. Phillip Haberman, a bookkeeper, was robbed of \$15, and Stephen Werley, a retired saloonkeeper, gave the "stick-up" women a hard fight, but was finally subdued and robbed of \$20. Following a long chase the female footpads were caught.

## B. F. KEITH'S

For the week of December 22—Christmas week—B. F. Keith's theatre will offer a splendid bill which will be in keeping with the merry holiday season.

B. Reinold and Company (who last year, appeared in Dinkelspell's Christmas) will present their latest and greatest success, "How Hoofmeister Did It". This is a comedy sketch, full of clever lines, bright wit and unusual situations.

Kathleen Clifford, late star of "Little Boy Blue" company, will appear as "The Smartest Boy in Town". Miss Clifford had expected to visit Columbus earlier in the season, but a change of route caused her to delay her visit until Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGreevy, the most popular team in vaudeville, will present "The Village Fiddler and the Country Maid," an offering in which music and fun are cleverly blended.

Apdale's Circus will delight old and young alike. Four wonderfully trained bears, eight dogs with almost human intelligence, three monkeys who might well be called the "missing links," and the most wonderful specimen of ant-eater in captivity will be the animals in this circus. Each animal is a genuine actor, and the feats they present are many and pleasing. That the animals have reasoning power, is demonstrated in every trick they present.

Every child in Washington C. H. should see this act as it is a splendid nature lesson. Every out-of-town visitor during the week will miss something well worth while if they neglect a visit to Keith's theatre where the prices for the daily matinees are but 10c, 20c and 30c; Saturday matinee, 10c, 35c and 50c; the night prices are 25c, 35c and 50c.

Jean Le Bonita the world's greatest ragtime xylophonist will be an extra added attraction.

Jefferson's Icelanders, original Icelandic "Glima" company, representing the secret sport of Iceland, called "Glima", the wonderful art of self-defence.

Stan Stanley Trio, the popular funster and his capable helpers, will present an act that has many laughs and many surprises.

Motion pictures close the bill. Each Sunday, from 1:30 in the afternoon until 10:30 at night, there will be a splendid showing of first-time pictures, including a Special Feature, Timely Topic Views and other original motion pictures.

Mrs. Austin's famous pancakes make a really delicious wholesome breakfast.

## TEST INSURES THE OWEN BILL

### HITCHCOCK SUBSTITUTE FAILS

Defeat of the Amendment Practically Insures the Adoption of the Owen Plan, Which Provides For Eight or More Regional Banks, Which Will Be Under Control of Bankers—Senator Reed Speaks.

Washington, Dec. 16.—In the first important test vote on the currency bill, the administration won by a margin of five. The vote was 40 to 35. Only one Democratic senator voted with the Republicans, Hitchcock of Nebraska.

The issue was raised by Senator Owen's motion to lay on the table Senator Hitchcock's substitute for the second section of the administration bill. This section deals with the organization and control of the regional banks. By tabling the Hitchcock amendment the senate in effect agreed to eight or more regional banks as against four. It went further and declared for bank ownership of the stock of the regional reserve association, in preference to popular ownership.

The same vote settled, apparently, the fact that the plan of control in the Owen bill will remain. This gives the banks a majority of the directors of the regional banks.

Senator Reed of Missouri made an attack on Senator Root for the speech made last Saturday night by the New York senator. Mr. Reed thought it had a tendency to inspire fear in the business world.

Replying directly to Senator Root's predictions that undue inflation and a financial panic might ensue if the currency bill were passed in its present form, Senator Reed declared no inflation of the currency could occur unless the "sound money men who run the banks" brought it about.

Senator Hitchcock made a sharp attack on the proposed control of the regional reserve banks by the banking interests of the country. He declared this feature of the bill would turn over the country reserves to the use of these bankers and would legalize the methods and the combinations of control against which the country has long protested.

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are apt to be days of hurry and indiscriminate buying. Don't buy carelessly. Come here and you'll find plenty of gifts—mostly articles of every day utility. Such goods as make

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Family Wash 6c Pound

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We have just the right kind at the right price. The Biggest and Best Line of Bulk Candy in the city. 4,000 boxes of assorted candies that will please "her."

### Special Concessions to All School Teachers

Be Sure and Order Your Christmas Candies at the

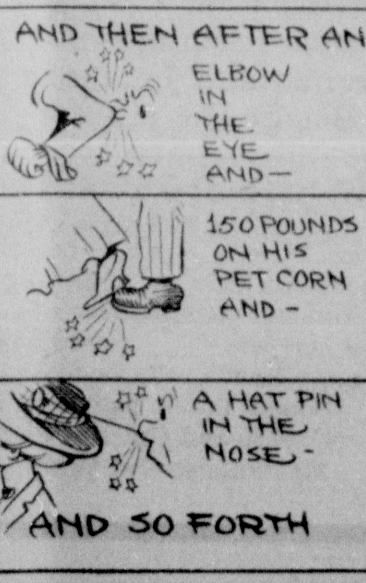
## Cozy Corner

PETER BROWN

## SCOOP The Cub Reporter

## It Wasn't Just The Present For The Boss

## By "Hop"





# Markets

## Close of Markets Today

By Associated Press.

### LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, December 16.—Hogs—Receipts 40,000; light Yorkers \$7.35 @ 7.70; heavy Yorkers \$7.45 @ 7.82½; pigs \$6.25 @ 7.60.

Cattle—Receipts 6500; market strong; beefs \$6.60 @ 9.75; Texas steers \$6.60 @ 7.65; stockers and feeders \$4.90 @ 7.40; cows and heifers \$3.30 @ 8.40; calves \$7.50 @ 11.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 25,000; market strong; sheep, natives \$4.40 @ 5.75; lambs, natives \$6.40 @ 8.00.

Pittsburg, December 1.—Hogs—Receipts 6000; market steady; heavy Yorkers \$7.85 @ 8.95.

### GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16.—Wheat—May 92½; July 89.

Corn—Dec. 70½; May 70.  
Oats—May 42½; July 41½.  
Pork—\$20.70 @ 20.85.

### THE LOCAL MARKET.

Corrected Daily at Noon.

Wheat No. 2.....90c  
White corn.....60c  
Yellow corn.....58c  
Oats.....40c  
Hay No. 1 timothy.....\$14.00  
Hay No. 2 timothy.....\$12.50  
Hay No. 1 clover.....\$14.00  
Hay No. 1 mixed.....\$14.00  
Straw, dry, per ton.....\$5.00  
Straw damp, per ton, not quoted.

### Prices Paid for Produce.

Chickens, young, per lb.....11c  
Eggs, per dozen.....30c  
Butter.....25c  
Potatoes, per bushel.....80c  
Lard, per lb.....11c

There were 69,000 patents applied for in America last year. Only 35,000 patents were granted. Of these not more than 500 will get to the manufacturing stage and be a source of income to the inventors.

Buy From Local Stores.

We Sell

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**Jess. W. Smith**  
The Home of Standard Merchandise

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No Man Should Indulge In More Than One Bad Habit At a Time.—From the Calendar of Smiles

We have all sorts of ART CALANDARS from 75c down to 10c each

FOR THE BUSY MAN, FOR WOMEN, FOR CHILDREN

## TALKED - OF FICTION

These books are popular from coast to coast

BEN HUR, THE MISTRESS OF SHENSTONE, THE POOR LITTLE RICH GIRL, THE IRON WOMAN, THE NE'ER DO WELL, and more than 600 other titles at

**Fifty Cents Each**

## Smith's is Famous for Boys' Books

Nowhere else can you find such a collection of books for boys—all the popular series complete—400 copies of books that will please any boy. 25c each.

Nor have we forgotten LITTLE FOLKS Such a collection of PICTURE BOOKS 3c. 5c. 10c up to 50c.

## FRAMED PICTURES

Have you visited Smith's Art Gallery in the rear of the main floor? No such collection of framed pictures can be found outside of the largest cities, and nowhere else at Smith's prices.—Framed Pictures for 10c, better ones 25c, and really works of art at 75c and \$1.00, and then up to \$20.00.—this is really some display of pictures.

## Give Her a Fancy Tray or Coaster Set

Here they are with wooden frames, glass covered, new oval and square designs.

**98c to \$3.75**

We Sell Victrolas

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**Jess. W. Smith**

## PHYSICAL DIRECTOR PREPARING PROGRAM

Physical Director McClung is planning an exceptionally strong gymnastic program for the New Years' entertainment now under way, and prizes will be given to the winners in the various contests.

Competent judges will preside and award the prizes to the winners. Swimming by Juniors will be one of the features. Also swimming, open to all. A 20 yard dash, running high jump, broad jump, rope climb, medicine ball throw, and the like will form part of the program. A diving contest will also be of interest.

The All Collegians against the Y. M. C. A. Basketball team will add to the enjoyment of the athletic exercises.

## BAD SMASHUP

A bad smash-up occurred Sunday night on the Danville pike near the residence of Mr. Wm. Morris, when the two closed buggies of Mr. Tom Watts, of this city, and Lath Halthcock, of Paint township, collided and the one driven by Mr. Halthcock was thrown over into the ditch.

Both Halthcock and a man driving with him were thrown out and considerably injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Watts and their little son, Leonard, escaped without injury, although their buggy was considerably hurt, one back wheel torn off, the spokes twisted out of the other, and the axle strained.

The Halthcock buggy was a wreck. The accident was caused by Mr. Halthcock's horse lunging into Mr. Watts' rig, and in trying to prevent going into the ditch the two buggies crashed together.

## WESLEY CHAPEL

W. L. Patton and family spent Sunday with J. W. Haigler and family.

Mr. Gabe Smith and sister were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Mowery.

Mr. Edward Matthews spent Sunday with Mr. A. O. Horney.

Rev. T. L. Haas is still conducting protracted meeting at this place.

Albert Hidy and wife were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hidy.

## HORSE THIEF IS CAUGHT IN COLUMBUS

Charles Williamson received word from the Columbus police today that the man who traded the stolen horse to him, in this city, a week ago Thursday, has been captured in Columbus, together with Williamson's horse.

The man, when in this town, gave the name of Valentine, and when last seen was leading the horse out on the Columbus pike.

Williamson is lucky to get his horse back, although he is out \$15 on the deal, and a two weeks' search for the horse.

## REVOKE FRANCHISE

Dayton, O., Dec. 16.—State Superintendent of Public Works Miller announced that the state has determined to revoke the franchise of the Cooper Hydraulic company, using power from the canal here. The state alleges nonpayment of six and a half years' rental.

## Hartman Theater

WEEK OF DECEMBER 22ND.

How many millions of book lovers in the world have read the delightful story of "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" is problematical, but all who have read the book will want to see the play which Eugene Walter has written around Mr. Fox's romantic mountain girl, June. Klaw & Erlanger have transferred to the stage the atmosphere of the Virginia hills, and it is so artistically perfect that you are almost made to believe you are inhaling the fragrance of the mountainside. Eugene Walter has condensed the time of the unfolding of the romance of June Tolliver and Jack Hale, but increased the rapidity of action. The first act closes with June, the little barefoot mountain girl on her way to school. In the second act she learns that Jack is not thinking seriously of a marriage she believed to be inevitable and returns to the mountains. The third act thrills with the love story of June and Jack Hale and the suppression of the feud aided by the awakening of June to the difference between the duty of love and the duty of the law resulting in the reunion and marriage of the most delightful book characters ever conceived, in the last act.

"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" with Charlotte Walker in the role of June will be the attraction at the Hartman theater, Christmas day, matinee and evening, and Friday and Saturday, December 26-27th with a matinee on Saturday.

### MISCELLANEOUS NOTES.

Surprising figures are available as to the relative poverty of leading foreign countries in the matter of automobile ownership. France, for example, boasts only 120,000 motor cars for the entire country. Place this against the fact that in Ohio alone are 100,000 machines owned and registered. It is easy to see why the United States now dominates the automobile production of the world.

"Suburban Day" in Ashtabula has proven a great success. Wednesday of each week is "Suburban Day" in Ashtabula, on which day the merchants of the town offer special bargains and free transportation to out of town shoppers. The merchants say that the results of "Suburban Day" has been more than gratifying.

A correspondence course for convicts is to be opened by the University of Nebraska. The work will be confined to prisoners at the state penitentiary and already 30 convicts including four life termers, have had their names enrolled. The course will include arithmetic, American history, grammar, literature, book-keeping and agriculture. The object is to prepare convicts to be self-supporting when they are released. Consideration given applications for pardons, paroles and commutation.

will depend somewhat on the progress made in the college.

National federation of the Society for the Prevention of Useless Giving, known as "The Spugs," is urged. The movement, began in New York and has spread over the country. The honorary chairman is Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the President is chairman in the District of Columbia. A statement outlining the object of the society tells of the good to be accomplished in reducing useless giving among shopping girls and other wage earners.

Gas users should observe the color of the flame of the gas range, says an exchange. The flame should burn with a blue flame. If the flame is red you have too much air, and the mixer must be adjusted. If you do not understand how to manipulate the mixer your gas company will be glad to instruct you.

A novel plan for recreation of the boys of the Hollywood, Cal., high school has been arranged. A bit of wild land has been leased, a small house erected on it and the place used as a "recreation club." There the boys will be turned loose and have every privilege, though in charge of professors. The house will be constructed by the boys of the mechanics and cabinet-making class. The plan has gained instant popularity.

# CRAIG BROS. THE Christmas Store.

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Are Shown In

Every Department

at

Attractive Prices



## THE TOY SHOP

Second floor—Contains the hearts desire of every boy and girl.

## THE LADIES DEPARTMENT

Main floor—Contains thousands of articles dear to the feminine heart.

## THE MEN'S STORE

Shows a collection of articles, limitless in extent, from which it would be difficult if not impossible to select unwisely.

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## CARPET SWEEPERS

AND VACUUM CLEANERS. The present de luxe for the housewife. We demonstrate with hand power and electric machine. \$2.50 to \$3.50

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## S. S. COCKERILL & SON Groceries and Queensware

### Fresh Vegetables By Express Today

Brussels Sprouts, per quart..... 30c  
Stringless Beans, per pound..... 25c  
Cucumbers, each..... 20c  
Green Peppers, each..... 5c  
Egg Plant..... 20c  
Radishes, 5c per bunch 3 bunches for..... 10c  
Onions..... 5c  
Kale, per pound..... 10c  
Spinach, per pound..... 10c  
Head Lettuce, per head..... 12½c  
Leaf Lettuce, per pound..... 20c  
Pascal Celery, per bunch..... 10c  
Endive, three bunches for..... 10c

### DECORATIONS FOR CHRISTMAS

Laurel Wreathing or Festooning, per yard..... 10c  
Double Laurel Wreaths, each..... 25c  
Magnolia Wreaths, each..... 20c

We shall have Holly and Mistletoe later in the week.

### FLORIDA ORANGES AND GRAPE FRUIT

Are now at their best. They are ripe and full of juice. We have our Christmas supply. The prices will not be higher.

250 Size Florida, per doz..... 20c  
200 Size Florida, per doz..... 25c  
176 Size Florida, per doz..... 30c  
150 Size Florida, per doz..... 35c  
80 Size Grape Fruit, 4 for..... 25c  
64 Size Grape Fruit, 3 for..... 25c  
46 Size Grape Fruit, 2 for..... 25c

Special prices on Oranges and Grape Fruit by the box.

We also have California Navel Oranges. They are very fine this year and will keep better than Floridas. They are not so sweet however.

100 Size, 50c per doz. 126 Size, 40c per doz.  
176 Size, 30c per doz.

### FANCY CHEESE IN PACKAGES

Philadelphia Cream Cheese, per pkg.... 10c  
Dairfarm Cream Cheese, per pkg..... 10c  
Pimento Cheese, per pkg..... 10c  
Neufchatel Cheese, per pkg..... 5c

## S. S. COCKERILL & SON Groceries and Queensware

In selecting your Gifts for Christmas, remember that

## CHINA

is always acceptable, and what is more to the point, useful as well

Our showing of German, Austrian, Parisian French and Japanese China is very complete.

Beside the regular dinner ware patterns, there are individual pieces, handsomely decorated, which will harmonize with any china you may have.

Cake Plates.....\$1.00 to \$3.00 Celery Trays..... 25c to \$3.00  
Sugar and Creams, 50c to \$3.00 Syrup Jugs..... 75c to \$3.00  
Marmalade Jars, \$2.00 to \$3.00 Pickle Dishes..... 75c to \$2.00  
Cracker Jars..... 50c to \$3.00 Bon Bon Dishes..... 50c to \$3.00  
Orange Bowls.....\$1.00 to \$3.00 Jelly Dishes..... 75c to \$2.50  
Spoon Trays, 25c to \$3.00  
Cheese and Cracker Plates, \$2.00 to \$3.00  
Mayonnaise and Whipped Cream Bowls, \$1.00 to \$3.00



20 PER CENT. OF OUR HOGS ARE TUBERCULAR, SAYS DR. RAZENEL



WASHINGTON DAILY HERALD.

THE WEATHER—For Ohio, Cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Lower temperature Wednesday

All The News  
Without Color  
All The Time

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Ten Cents a Week

NO REAL DEPRESSION  
IN U. S., SAYS GOMPERS

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., December 16.—President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor told the House Judiciary committee today that while the number of men out of employment in the United States might possibly be a trifle above normal, he believed that it was "due to the transition we are in rather than to any real depression."

SHOOP WILL BE  
ASKED TO QUIT

By Associated Press.  
Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16.—John D. Shoop, elected Superintendent of the Chicago schools to succeed Ella Flagg Young, will probably be asked to resign today, by a committee of Chicago women, so that Mrs. Young can again be appointed.

EIGHT MEN DEAD  
IN CINCINNATI FIRE

By Associated Press.  
Cincinnati, Dec. 16.—Fire, declared to be of incendiary origin, destroyed the Salvation Army Home at an early hour this morning. Eight men are known to be dead, and many others missing. The exact loss of life will not be ascertained until the ruins are searched for the bodies.

The police are positive that four bodies are in the ruins. Eight victims are in hospitals in a serious condition. The property loss will reach \$55,000.

EBBETS DECIDES  
HOT UNDER COLLAR

By Associated Press.  
New York City, December 16.—Charles Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn Baseball club, said today he would reply by telegram to the message he received yesterday from the Cincinnati Club directors seeking to cancel the sale of Joe Tinker to the Brooklyn's for \$25,000.

WYOMING VOTES  
ON SALOON ISSUE

By Associated Press.  
Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 16.—Wyoming, a suburb of this city, is holding a local option election today. The village has been without saloons for 43 years, but the Hamilton County Liquor License Commission had decided that the place was entitled to four saloons.

BULL MOOSERS  
ARE ASSEMBLED

By Associated Press.  
Chicago, Ill., December 16.—Representative members of the Progressive party assembled here today to confer on the party's plans for the future and it was expected that it would be decided to issue a call for a conference to be held in the near future. The object of this conference it is said would be to arrange to have tickets in every county of the state at the next election.

At a conference of Progressives lead by Walter Brown, plans for a Progressive ticket in every county at the next election were discussed. The conference resulted in the call for another conference to be held in Columbus, January 3d, to which delegates from every county are expected. This convention is expected to promulgate a party platform and plan for the county ticket which will be selected at the primaries in September. Former U. S. Senator A. J. Beveridge, of Indiana, is expected to attend the convention.

SUNDAY SALOON  
MATTER DROPPED

By Associated Press.  
Cincinnati, Ohio, December 16.—John Schwab, president of the Ohio German-American Alliance, stated today that no effort would be made to get 30,000 signatures to a petition seeking to amend the Sunday law so that saloons can be opened in the afternoon. The project has been temporarily abandoned because of the opinion of Attorney General Hogan that such an initiative petition could not be legally introduced in the special session of the legislature.

THIRD FIRE IN  
THREE MONTHS

By Associated Press.  
Hamilton, Ohio, Dec. 16.—A local mattress factory was destroyed by fire this morning, the loss reaching \$22,000.

SHERMAN GRANGER

Ohio Member of Republican National Committee.



CONGRESSMAN MOON

Tennessean Urges Public Ownership of Wire Service.



LETCHER IS  
SUCCESSFUL IN  
INTERCEDING

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., Dec. 16.—Through representations made to the Rebel generals by American Consul Letcher, the United States has been successful in interceding in behalf of the Spaniards, who claimed mistreatment at the hands of the Rebel forces.

All advices to the state department say that all foreigners in general, with the exception of the Spaniards, have been respected. Upon request of the Spanish Ambassador, Spanish subjects are included in the protection given other foreigners. Inference that the United States had, by appealing to the Rebel generals, recognized the Constitutionalists, were pronounced false by Secretary Bryan, who stated that the United States had from time to time treated with military forces in the various parts of Mexico.

FORCED TO FLEE

By Associated Press.  
El Paso, Texas, December 16.—Two hundred more foreigners including 60 Americans arrived here on a special train from Chihuahua today. Among them were French, German, Italian and Spanish subjects. They confirmed the stories of earlier refugees, that General Villa's attitude toward them and his action in expelling Spaniards, had created a desire among all foreigners to leave the country. They said since the Spaniards had left the property taken from stores owned by them had been auctioned and the proceeds placed in the Rebel treasury.

BRANDON CASE  
MOVES RAPIDLY

In the case of Ohio against Leo Brandon, which is now on in Common Pleas court, the case rested today noon and the work of examining witnesses for the defense was taken up. Dr. P. E. Decatur being the first called.

The witnesses examined for the state were: Mrs. Carey Deer, Ray Maddox, Patrolman Bell and Patrolman Baughn.

Deep interest is being taken in the case owing to its unusual features.

CLEVELAND HOTEL  
WAITERS STRIKE

By Associated Press.  
Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 16.—Union waiters to the number of 125, at the Statler and Hollenden Hotels, struck today, and succeeded in closing the dining room of the Statler, while the Hollenden is operating with a half force of waiters.

Efforts to call out the waiters at the Colonial hotel proved of no avail. Union leaders predict that the Colonial waiters will join the strikers today, and that the Union and Cleveland Athletic Club waiters will also join the walkout.

The waiters demand \$5 per month increase. The Statler hotel waiters demand a six-day week.

40 waiters at the Colonial hotel at noon joined the strike which was begun this morning. A total of 162 waiters were out at noon.

SCHMIDT DENIES  
INSANITY CHARGE

By Associated Press.  
New York City, December 16.—Hans Schmidt sprang to his feet in the court room today and vehemently denied his counsel's statement that he was insane when he killed Anna Amuller. "It's a lie," he shouted, brandishing his fists. "I protest against that."

The prosecution rested its case at the trial today and Judge M. K. Olcott for the defense outlined the insanity plea in his opening address to the jury. "I will show," he said, "that this defendant had been for many years, now is and always will be mentally unbalanced."

He was interrupted by the outburst from the prisoner. Judge Olcott told the jury he would show that in 1904 Schmidt got into trouble in Germany for a foolish and profitless forgery and only escaped punishment by his father promising to put him in an asylum. From this institution he escaped to this country.

NOTED PROFESSOR  
CONDEMNS HOGS

By Associated Press.  
Madison, Wis., Dec. 16.—Twenty per centum of all hogs bought to slaughter, are tubercular, according to Dr. M. P. Razenel, Professor of Bacteriology in the University of Wisconsin.

Hogs do not develop the disease within themselves, but from the by-products of creameries and by following cattle suffering from the disease, according to Dr. Razenel.

HANGED BY MOB

By Associated Press.  
Williston, N. D., December 16.—Cleve Culbertson, recently convicted of murdering all the members of the Dillon family, at Ray, N. D., was taken from the Williams county jail by a mob today and hanged.

CASE REMAINS  
WITH THE JURY

By Associated Press.  
Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 16.—A motion of the defense to take the case of Clem Baxter, on trial for stealing \$3,140 of the funds of the Columbus Savings and Trust Company, from the jury, was overruled today by Judge Bigger in the Common Pleas court.

The defense claimed that the state had made no case.

QUARTER MILLION  
LOSS IN LYNCHBURG

By Associated Press.  
Lynchburg, Va., Dec. 16.—Fire in the retail district this morning destroyed property valued at \$260,000. Most of the property was insured. The flames started in a hardware store, and was of unknown origin.

REPUBLICAN ELEMENTS  
STRIVE FOR MASTERY

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., December 16.—The organization of the Republican party on a basis upon which the discordant elements can unite was the problem which leaders of that party tried to solve today. Two projects, one for a special national convention to re-adjust the system of delegate representation and the other, to call no convention but leave the task of apportionment to the National committee for ratification by state conventions occupied the attention of the party leaders.

MOOSERS ROAST  
G. O. P. LEADERS

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., December 16.—Progressives in the House adopted resolutions today declaring that they view with interest the "death-bed repentance of the Republican leaders for the sins of the late Republican National convention and their present hypocritical offer of reform in representation at future conventions."

INVENTOR DIES

By Associated Press.  
Piketon, O., December 16.—John Taylor, formerly of Piketon, Ohio, inventor of the Taylor Interlocking Switch Derailing system, died in Pittsburgh at 1:30 this morning.

CAMPAIGN NOTES

Executive Secretary Zaner, went to Milledgeville yesterday, where he addressed a meeting of representative church people at the Odd Fellows' hall. The organization for the Simultaneous Campaign in that end of the county was perfected, and his address was received with considerable enthusiasm. The Executive committee was appointed consisting of, A. B. Giddings, Frank E. Hidy, A. H. Entler, C. W. Patch, Rev. McKay and Rev. Cush.

There are to be about thirty prayer meetings held in the various sections of the town tonight. All are urged to attend the meeting nearest their home. These meetings are neighborhood meetings and are not denominational. They are being held for prayer that Fayette county may be won for Christ. It is hoped that the attendance tonight will exceed that of last Friday.

The big street banners are under way and before the close of the week, the first one will be strung on Court street.

Friday night there will be a meeting of all committees at the Y. M. C. A. for general reports. The meeting is called for 7:30, but it is expected that all those attending prayer meeting will march in a body to the Y. M. C. A. building immediately after the various meetings dismiss.

On Wednesday night at 7:30 there will be a meeting of all personal workers from the various churches, numbering about 125. All are urged to be present.

BOYCOTT ON EGGS  
LOWERED PRICES

By Associated Press.  
Kansas City, Dec. 16.—An egg boycott, declared in this city by the women's organizations, was lifted today.

Storage eggs were selling at 40c per dozen when the boycott started, but the retail price is now 30 and 34 cents per dozen.

THOMAS VERY ILL

By Associated Press.  
Nashville, Tenn., December 16.—The condition of John W. Thomas, Jr., president of the Nashville, Chattanooga, and St. Louis R. R., was critical today and physicians hold out little hope for his recovery. He is suffering from pneumonia.

UNION LADIES  
ARE ENJOINED

By Associated Press.  
Cincinnati, Ohio, December 16.—Judge Oppenheimer of the Superior court, today granted an injunction against thirteen members of the Ladies' Garment Working union restraining them from interfering with the business of the Fulworth Garment company where a strike was called several weeks ago. It was alleged that the strikers were intimidating workers who wished to return to work.

MINERS ENTOMBED

Grand Junction, Colo., December 16.—An explosion today at the Vulcan Mine at Newcastle, Colo., east of here, is reported to have entombed between 40 and 50 miners. The mine is owned by the Rock Mountain Fuel company. Cause of explosion is unknown.

STATE OFFERS \$181,061  
FOR OHIO PEN SITE

The state of Ohio has decided to pay \$181,062.50 for the new prison site in Madison county. This being the sum that it has confessed judgment for. Whether or not it is sufficient to pay for the tract of land decided upon will be determined by a jury in the Madison county courts Monday, January 5.

A jury composed of farmers will hear the condemnation proceedings and decide the value of the land. The difference between the price offered by the state and that asked by the owners, John, Esta and Minerva Hardin, is said to be \$26,000.

After the transfer of the land temporary quarters will be established and the prisoners taken there to do as much of the work as possible. A large amount of valuable timber is growing on the tract, it is said, which will be cut down immediately in order that it may become thoroughly seasoned before it is used for building purposes.

WHITNEY PLEAS  
LARGE AUDIENCE

Edwin M. Whitney, the reader and impersonator, entertained a large audience at Jeffersonville, Monday night, where he appeared as the third number of the lecture course. He presented "The Fortune Hunter" in a very pleasing manner, and the audience rated him among the best entertainers that ever appeared on the Jeffersonville Lyceum course.

DEDICATION

By Associated Press.  
Berea, Ky., December 16.—The dedication of Napp Hall, an addition to Berea College, a building to be used for the training of rural teachers, took place here today. Carroll G. Perse, president of Normal School of Milwaukee, made the principal address.

MORTON PARDONED

By Associated Press.  
Washington, D. C., December 16.—Dr. William H. Morton, who served a term in Atlanta penitentiary with Julian Hawthorne, for complicity in mining stock selling frauds, has been pardoned by President Wilson to restore his civil rights, December 10.



# FIRST FAYETTE COUNTY DIRECTORY IS NOW READY FOR DISTRIBUTION

Mr. J. B. White, publisher of The New Fayette County Directory, has just received a large number of the completed books, and they are now ready for delivery and sale at the Daily Herald office. More of the Directories will be finished within a few days and there will be quite a number for sale.

Mr. White's County Directory is by far the best book of this sort ever issued in this city, and it is the only directory that has ever been issued containing a list of the names of the people of Fayette outside of Washington C. H. Directories printed heretofore contained a list of real property tax payers, but Mr. White's aim has been to include the names and addresses of all persons in the county over 16 years of age. Thus it will be seen at once that Mr. White has given the residents of Fayette county a great work.

In addition to giving the names and addresses of this army of people, Mr. White has also noted the occupation of practically all, their telephone,

the township in which they live and the number of acres of land owned.

The aim has been to make a clean sweep and give as accurate a list as possible, and while every effort has been made to guard against errors and omissions, doubtless some have crept in, but taken altogether, Mr. White's County Directory is a most creditable book of 300 pages brimful of Fayette county information and is a book that should be in every home.

The book is nicely printed with large, readable type, on a high-grade book paper, and substantially bound in cloth. It will stand a mighty lot of hard usage. A feature of the work lies in the complete alphabetical arrangement of the entire county, whereby all persons residing in the county are found in the same place in the book, no matter whether they live in Washington, Jeffersonville, Good Hope or at any point in the county. For instance, all persons by the name of Smith are gathered together in five pages of the book, with the Christian names classified in alphabetical order to further assist one in locating a particular one.

This arrangement is followed throughout the book.

Mr. White is a veteran in the publication of directories and has compiled and printed directories in many cities and towns throughout the country. In this instance, however, he has exceeded himself, in that this is the first COUNTY directory that he has ever undertaken. The prevalence of rural delivery routes in this county made the county directory particularly desirable.

Directories, always expensive, have always commanded a price of from \$3.50 to \$4.00, and only limited numbers have been sold on that account. Before entering upon the work of compiling the present directory Mr. White submitted his plan to The Herald Publishing Company and a contract was entered into whereby a much larger edition should be printed and given to the people at a mere fraction of the prohibitive prices heretofore charged.

We are glad to say that the finest book of the kind ever published in Fayette county is the result of that arrangement and the price is only \$1.50, which includes subscription to

the Daily Herald or the Ohio State Register to the value of \$1.00. In other words, any person paying one dollar on subscription to the Daily Herald or Ohio State Register can have one of these county directories for only 50 cents extra—\$1.50 in all.

In no other way will they be sold, and they will not last long. Opportunities of this kind are not picked up very often. Had it not been for the contract made between the Herald Publishing Co. and Mr. White, only a small edition of directories would have been printed and the price would have been at least \$3.50 for the book alone. It, therefore, behooves every citizen to act quickly and make sure of getting a book for little or nothing, which will tell you at a glance all about the big family in Fayette county, of which you are one.

Send us \$1.50 and we will send a Directory and the Register for a year, or the Daily Herald to the value of one dollar. If you are already a subscriber to either of these papers, we will upon receipt of \$1.50 send you a Directory and extend your paid subscription to the value of one dollar.

## SHEDS LIGHT ON PROGRAM

### EMBODIES DAVIES' FINDINGS

Latter Holds There Are Immediate and Well Known Conditions That Can Be Remedied by Law—Would Inquire Into Claim That the Trust Is Socially and Economically Efficient in Production.

Washington, Dec. 16.—The annual report of Secretary Redfield of the department of commerce throws the first definite light on the present views of the administration in regard to the regulation of industrial corporations.

Joseph A. Davies, commissioner of corporations, is one of the men with whom the president has conferred in regard to the anti-trust program about to be introduced in congress. Mr. Davies' recommendations, incorporated in the report of the secretary of commerce, are therefore regarded with significance. This is what the report says on the inquiry:

"That there are immediate and well known conditions that should and can be remedied by law is apparent. Some of these remedies are, for instance, a law providing that there shall be a presumption that all restraints of trade are unreasonable; that stocks and bonds shall not be issued except for money or property at its true money value; preventing the watering of stocks, and that corporations shall not hold stock in other competing companies.

"Whether the trust or monopolistic form is socially and economically efficient in production, as is alleged, is a fundamental economic fact to be determined; and upon the solution of this problem must depend the ultimate attitude of government toward combinations and consolidations in business."

The report urges an investigation by

the bureau of corporations to throw light on the question. Secretary Redfield advocates an appropriation of \$431,700 for this inquiry into the efficiency of industrial combinations. He says: "There is no criticism of big business as such, but merely as to whether big business has not its very marked limitations and whether there are not cases where big business is rather less desirable than efficiency."

Secretary Redfield declares that it is important that we should know the truth about the fixing of retail prices and as to whether giving the privilege of so fixing the prices by a manufacturer tends toward monopoly. An inquiry into the cost of production of clothing also is advocated by Secretary Redfield.

## MORE NEW ONES JOIN THE KNIGHTS

The membership contest now under way in the Knights of Pythias lodge in this city, is progressing very nicely, and so far 14 new applications have been turned in during the two weeks the campaign has been under way, and a large number of others have signified their intention of joining before the contest closes.

Monday night the report again showed Capt. Ol Sever and his corps of workers, to be in the lead. However the attendance was equal on both sides, as during the previous meeting.

Monday night, Dec. 29, work in the Page rank will be given, and it is believed that the work will add new enthusiasm to the movement for a larger membership.

The present effort to secure a large number of new members is the first that Confidence lodge has made for many years, and the result is pleasing to all of the members.

### GARFIELD COMMANDERY

NO. 28, K. T.  
Stated conclave, Masonic Temple, Wednesday evening, December 17th, 1913, at 7 p. m., sharp. By order of  
ELMER A. KLEVER, E. C.  
W. E. ROBINSON, Recorder.

### PUBLIC SALE.

Herd of Jersey milch cows and heifers, horses, hogs, brood sows, machinery, etc., on Hukill homestead, Chillicothe pike, February 12. Chas. Holland. 290 tf & R

## SUNDAY CONVERTS WILL CELEBRATE

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 16.—Rev. John W. Day, pastor of the First Presbyterian church and president of the Evangelical Association which brought Billy Sunday, the evangelist to Columbus, has received word from E. O. Excell of Chicago, the well-known writer of religious songs, saying he will be in Columbus Feb. 28, the anniversary of the Sunday meetings, and will lead the singing in the anniversary meeting at Memorial Hall. Mr. Excell said he would bring with him an organist, Mr. Roper.

Unusual amount of interest has been shown in the meeting to be held on the anniversary of the coming of the evangelist. More than 10,000 admission cards are being distributed to the converts. After 2 o'clock in the afternoon the meeting will be open to the public, providing there is room left.

## CANCER MICROBE FOUND BY FRENCHMAN

Montpellier, France, Dec. 16.—Dr. Bosc, professor of pathological anatomy at the University of Montpellier, who has been making extensive investigation into cancer, claims to have discovered the microbe of the disease. It is of the protozoa type and is found principally in water. A large number of insects, fish and warm-blooded animals act as carriers.

Professor Bosc, in his report on the subject, says he has traced a number of cases of cancer to insect bites and pricks from fish bones. He has also found intestinal cancer prevalent in villages where snails are eaten in large quantities.

## NAVY POINTS WAY

Washington, Dec. 16.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels finds in the reduced prices at which the navy department is now able to buy beef, because of the competition of Argentine beef with the domestic product, inspiration for the following statement: "What Uncle Sam has done on a great scale, individuals and smaller organizations can do on a lesser. Under the old high tariff law this saving could not be effected, but the recent tariff bill allows the importation of foreign meats free of duty."

## LANDS AGAIN

Washington, Dec. 16.—George H. Gee was again appointed postmaster at Salem, O., by President Wilson. Gee was appointed several months ago, but Senator Burton made such a fight against his confirmation that the special session of congress passed without Gee's getting the O. K. of the senate. It is said Senator Burton will not abandon the fight.

Boost Washington—Buy at home

**HELP**

For The Housewife

"A Shine In Every Drop"



## MAKING SOIL FIT FOR NEW CROP

Recently a man bought and moved onto one of the poorest farms in the vicinity of Barnesville, Belmont county, Ohio. To the surprise of his neighbors he announced his intention of sowing some alfalfa. They ridiculed the idea and with good intentions insisted that it would be folly to risk time and money in such an experiment. However, as the newcomer was anxious to grow alfalfa he decided to find out if the handicap of a poor, sour soil could not be overcome. He had been told that the soil lacked in organic matter so he hauled from a nearby livery stable fifteen loads of manure to the acre. He would have preferred other manure because of the many timothy and weed seeds commonly found in such stable manure, but being a practical man he took what was at hand. Experience and observation showed the soil to be acid. Accordingly he gave it a heavy application of some form of burned lime. A liberal dress-

ing of commercial fertilizer and inoculation of the soil with the proper bacteria helped still more to put the soil, which was naturally well drained, in good shape for the crop desired.

A fine stand of alfalfa was the result of his preparation and the second season, three crops of hay were cut and it gives promise of many more.

This incident only seems to emphasize the fact that alfalfa can be grown anywhere in Ohio if the soil be well drained, sweet and well supplied with organic matter, phosphorus and the proper bacteria.



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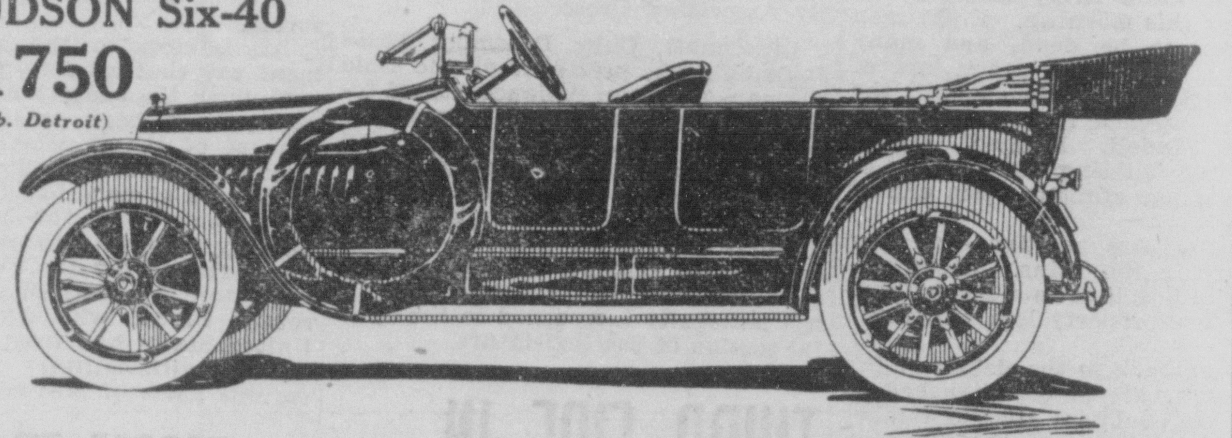
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6 2 8

Rearrange numbers in each row so total of each will be 15. To the two nearest correct answers will be given one lot free at Somerville, N. J. Contest closes December 28. JAMES REALTY CO., 2095 Webster ave., New York City. 294 6t

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—Bradley in Chicago News.



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## Poetry For Today

### Christmas Treasures

By EUGENE FIELD.

I COUNT my treasures o'er with care—  
A little toy that baby knew,  
A little sock of faded hue,  
A little lock of golden hair.  
Long years ago this Christmas time  
My little one—my all to me—  
Sat robed in white upon my knee  
And heard the merry Christmas chime.  
"Tell me, my little golden head,  
If Santa Claus should come tonight,  
What shall he bring my baby bright,  
What treasure for my boy?" I said.  
And then he named the little toy  
While in his round and truthful eyes  
There came a look of glad surprise  
That spoke his trustful, childish joy.



And as he lisped his evening prayer  
He asked the boon with baby grace,  
And, toddling to the chimney place,  
He hung his little stocking there.  
That night as lengthening shadows crept  
I saw the white winged angels come  
With music to our humble home  
And kiss my darling as he slept.

He must have heard that baby prayer,  
For in the morn, with glowing face,  
He toddled to the chimney place  
And found the little treasure there.  
They came again one Christmas tide,  
That angel host so fair and white,  
And, singing all the Christmas night,  
They lured my darling from my side.

A little sock, a little toy,  
A little lock of golden hair,  
The Christmas music on the air,  
A—watching for my baby boy,  
But if again that angel train  
And golden head come back for me  
To bear me to eternity  
My watching will not be in vain.

## Weather Report

Washington, December 16.—Ohio and Indiana—Fair Tuesday and probably Wednesday; moderate southwest and west winds.  
Illinois—Fair Tuesday, Wednesday increasing cloudiness; moderate southwest and west winds.  
Tennessee and Kentucky—Fair Tuesday; Wednesday increasing cloudiness.  
West Virginia—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.  
Lower Michigan—Fair Tuesday and probably Wednesday; moderate west winds.

### WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 7 p. m. Monday:

	Temp.	Weather.
Boston	34	Clear
New York	36	Clear
Buffalo	38	Cloudy
Washington	40	Clear
Chicago	36	Cloudy
Columbus	39	Clear
St. Louis	42	Cloudy
St. Paul	36	Clear
Los Angeles	64	Clear
New Orleans	58	Clear
Tampa	66	Clear
Seattle	50	Clear

### Weather Forecast.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Indications for tomorrow:  
Ohio—Probably fair.

## OLD ONES PREFERRED

Columbus, O., Dec. 16.—Civil service examinations for would-be district assessors, of whom 1,500 are to be appointed in the various counties, will be held in the county seats during the first week of January. The exact date is to be announced later. That preference is to be given old assessors is noted in the fact that experience is to count one-half in making up the required number of units.

## DRYS CONTEST

Steubenville, O., Dec. 16.—A petition was filed in court here to set aside the Beal law election at Mingo Junction, where the majority was 12 wet, because of alleged irregularities and fraudulent voting. A number of voters are under arrest. Amsterdam, a mining town in Jefferson county, voted wet by 20 majority. The vote stood 129 wet to 109 dry.

## FIVE IMPORTANT QUESTIONS TAPPED

Washington, Dec. 16.—Five important questions will be decided by the Republican national committee, which is in session here today. They involve the recognition of state laws as to the manner of choosing delegates to national conventions, minimizing the number of contestants for seats in conventions, tenure of committeemen to expire upon the election of their successors, the creation of a new tribunal to hear contestants, and changing the basis of representation. The question of a special national Republican convention also will be decided.

Chairman Charles D. Hilles, in an address to members, said: "In order that we may again triumph, we must have some motive other than a desire to win. We are the trustees of the Republican party, a fact which should inspire in us a sense of cogent responsibility. Republicans and former Republicans can go very far in a protocol of union if a surrender of principles is not involved. We will not embrace theories of government that are destructive of all that we hold essential to the maintenance of liberty regulated by law."

Sherman Granger, the Ohio member of the national committee, is opposed to the calling of a special national convention next year. Other Ohioans are against the special convention, among them being Congressman Fess of the Sixth district, who issued an extended statement explaining his opposition.

## SCHMIDT DRANK VICTIM'S BLOOD

New York, Dec. 16.—The declared confession of Hans Schmidt of how he killed Anna Aumuller was read aloud to the jury by Assistant District Attorney Murphy, to whom Schmidt confessed last September. The recital of his deed did not move the slayer from his attitude of calmness.

In this confession Schmidt said that he cut the girl's throat first. "She didn't feel it at all," he commented. Then he drank some of her blood. Afterward he cut the body to pieces.

When asked why he did murder her he turned to Mr. Murphy and demanded: "Have you read the Bible? Have you read of the sacrifice Abraham was called upon to make of his son Isaac?" Schmidt also confessed to "marrying" Anna Aumuller, conducting the ceremony himself, about four months before he killed her.

## TEST LIQUOR LAW

Columbus, O., Dec. 16.—The Toledo case to test the liquor license law has reached the Ohio supreme court. The claim is made that law is invalid because it permits licenses to be issued to corporations, whereas the constitution restricts licenses to citizens of the United States; that it attempts to create a monopoly in the saloon business; that it offends against the United States constitution, which forbids a state to make or enforce a law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of any citizen. The lower courts upheld the law.

## TO IMPROVE PRETTY HAIR AND BEAUTIFY UGLY HAIR

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## Dancing School

Thursday and Friday Eve., Dec. 18-19

Lessons will be given in the TANGO and HESITATION Waltz Thursday Night for Married People Only. Friday Night Lesson 7:30 to 9. Assembly 9 to 12. Lessons soc.

Two lessons will be given in each dance.  
Perce Pearce, Instructor

## HOLD GERRY TO THE TINKER DEAL

New York, Dec. 16.—"The Brooklyn club will stand pat on the purchase of Joe Tinker from the Cincinnati club for \$25,000," declared President C. H. Ebbetts when he had received a telegram from the Cincinnati club's board of directors informing him of its disapproval of the disposal of Tinker for cash.

"I have sent a letter to President Tener explaining that Tinker deal," Ebbetts said, "and I expect Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh club, who was a witness to the transaction last Friday night, to mail the original signed agreement to the president of the league."

If President Herrmann doesn't insist upon the enforcement of the agreement, baseball men say that he will stand discredited and will be compelled not only to resign the presidency of the club, but also as chairman of the national commission. According to rule 12, governing the national commission, all trades or sales must be signed by the president of each interested club or its authorized agent. Herrmann, as president of the club, had full authority to close negotiations with Ebbetts. The Cincinnati magnate dictated the terms of the deal, too.

## SEVERAL PERSONS LOSE THEIR LIVES

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 16.—The industrial home of the Salvation Army on Freeman avenue was partially destroyed by fire. One hundred inmates, mostly old men, were sleeping in the building, but the police think they succeeded in rescuing all but one or two persons reported missing. One of the missing persons is the little daughter of George Watkins, superintendent of the home. Firemen discovered the body of a burned man and say that there are several more in the building. One man was taken out of the building fatally burned.

The Salvation Army officials were given orders by the city building inspector two weeks ago to take out of the building all material kept there for sale, such as bedding, mattresses and other things, but it is claimed that the order had not been carried out.

### Harvard to Meet Michigan.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 16.—Graduate Manager Fred W. Moore of Harvard received word from the University of Michigan regarding the scheduling of a football game between the Crimson and the Wolverines next fall, and believes that one will be arranged.

## If You Require Glasses

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SEE S.J. VANPELT For Motorcycle Repairs

## FREE POTATOES

Washington, Dec. 16.—Germany, Holland, Denmark, Ireland and other European countries will be represented at the hearing Thursday by agricultural department officials to determine whether an embargo on all potatoes coming into this country shall be ordered. A partial embargo on potatoes known to be diseased is now being enforced.

## INCREASE CAPITAL

Cleveland, O., Dec. 16.—The authorized capital stock of the Northern Ohio Traction and Light company will be increased from \$13,000,000 to \$15,000,000 at the annual meeting of the stockholders Jan. 24. The increase will be held in the treasury to provide future improvements.

## Parrett's Grocery.

"THE YELLOW FRONT."

THE HOME OF QUALITY FOR TWENTY-SIX YEARS.

We have just received a shipment of extra fine

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large, white slices of the best quality, per lb. 40c

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Glacé Cherries in boxes, per box 15c

Candied Orange and Lemon Peel in bulk, lb. 25c

Premier Citron per pound 25c

Best Ear Pop Corn per pound 4c

Extra fine Yellow Shelled Pop Corn lb. 5c

Pearl Flake Pop Corn in packages, each 5c

Malaga Grapes, large clusters per pound 20c

Cape Cod Cranberries per pound 13c

Fancy Sweet Florida Oranges dozen 15c-30c

Fancy California Oranges dozen 25c, 30c, 40c

Florida Grapefruit 5c, 3 for 25c and 10c straight.

Fresh hot house Lettuce per pound 15c

Fresh head lettuce, spinach, radishes, and onions tomorrow.

### DROMEDARY DATENUT BUTTER

Made chiefly from selected dates and nuts and is a delicious "spread for bread." Price 10c a glass.

We have a large assortment of Christmas Candies and Candy Boxes come in and let us show you.

Premier Packages Contain Best Things to Eat.



# BAKER AUTO TRANSIT CO. INCORPORATES FOR \$10,000

LOCAL MAN WILL FURNISH SEDALIA WITH MEANS OF REACHING THE OUTSIDE WORLD, AND HAS PLACED AN ORDER FOR ANOTHER MOTOR BUS FOR NEW LINE — SPRINGFIELD MERCHANTS REAP HARVEST FROM NEW VENTURE.

George W. Baker, owner of the Springfield and Washington railway and the motor bus line between Jeffersonville and South Charleston, has decided to launch another motor bus venture, and has succeeded in obtaining sanction of the Secretary of State to incorporate a company with a capital stock of \$10,000, with the object of operating the line between Jeffersonville and South Charleston and the latter place and Sedalia.

The Baker Auto Transit company, as the new concern is called, has the following incorporators: George W.

Baker, William W. Kiefer, and Floyd Baker.

An order for another motor bus has been placed, it is claimed and it will be placed in commission between Sedalia and South Charleston within the next two or three months.

The present bus line is being operated successfully between Jeffersonville and South Charleston, and is drawing an immense trade toward Springfield, and if the second motor bus is placed in use between Sedalia and South Charleston, it will take another block of business away from Washington merchants, unless some method is taken to keep the trade coming toward this city, it is claimed.

As Sedalia has no dependable way of reaching the outside world, the citizens of that place are very enthusiastic over the prospect of being connected with the outside world even once each day, and they are very much in favor of the latest proposal made by Mr. Baker.

Jeffersonville and community has been flooded with special inducements made by the Springfield merchants.

## Y. M. C. A. NOTES

At a meeting of the Social committee held last night, the arrangements were all completed for the New Years open house and reception to be held on January 1st. Complete program will be announced before the close of the week.

The L. P. C. Bible class held a very interesting session last night.

The Council of the Boys' City government meets tonight at 7:00, to

transact necessary business for the Boys' department.

Carl Moore of Bloomingburg will assume the duties of Office Secretary to succeed Ralph Strobel, who leaves January 1st.

The first coat of plaster has been put on in the Stimson building, and it is expected that the plastering will be finished by the first of January. Extensive alterations are being made on the first floor of the Sharp building.

The building will be closed all Christmas day.

## W. R. C.

All members of the W. R. C. who wish to contribute to the Christmas box, will please leave contributions at Willard Martin's store or with Mrs. N. S. Craig, not later than Wednesday.

SECY.

## CHINA SALE.

MYRTLE McCOY WILL HOLD A SALE OF HAND-PAINTED CHINA AT BARNETT'S GROCERY, BEGINNING FRIDAY, DEC. 19. 295 31

## CLASSIFIED

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

FOR SALE—One new rubber tire storm buggy. Inquire of T. E. Brown or Rothrock and Brown's Livery barn. 295 61

Look for the Young Men's Choral club booth at F. L. Stutson's

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## Neckwear

By far the largest assortment of patterns and styles in Washington. Imperials, Flowing Ends, Folds, Knits and reversible Four-in-Hands, put up in holiday boxes.

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Better Neckwear, too, 75c and \$1.00

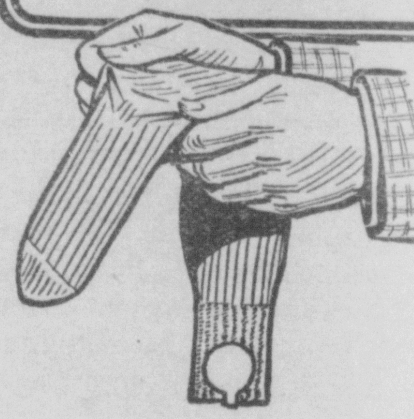
## Combination Sets

Tie, Hose and Silk Kerchief, perfectly matched in shade, neatly put up in appropriate Christmas boxes. They make ideal gifts.

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The New Styles are here and they are beauties! Fancy Plaids, Checks—silk quilted, and silk trimmed—some plain outside, plaid inside.

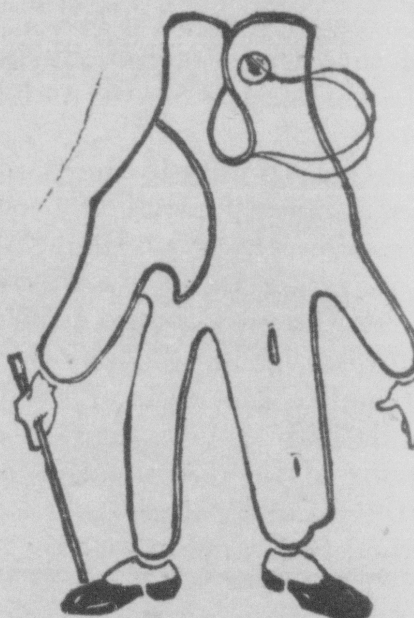
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The close neck Sweater the heavy roll collar Sweater and the coat collar Sweater—all are here.

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## BATH ROBES

WRAP one of our Bath Robes around you on a cold morning if you want to know what the real limit of solid comfort is.

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Turkeys, Ducks, Geese, Chickens

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Of Christmas Delicacies Awaits You at

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Pathe Play

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## In Social Circles

MISS FLORENCE USTICK, SOCIETY EDITOR

The engagement of Miss Marie Silcott, elder daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James Silcott, of Cincinnati, to Mr. Eugene Denton, also of Cincinnati, has been announced.

The wedding will take place in February.

The engagement will be learned with much interest by a large circle of friends in this city, the former home of the Silcotts.

Handsome invitations in the Christmas colors of crimson and green, for the "Annual Christmas Dance," under

the auspices of the Terpsichorean club, went out this morning.

The dance will be held Christmas night at the Pythian Castle and promises to be the event of Christmas week.

The Thanksgiving dance, under the same auspices, was such a conspicuous success and so splendidly managed, that it augurs equal success for the Christmas dance.

If possible, the arrangements will be on an even more elaborate scale.

Horstman's orchestra will furnish the music.

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. H. C. Teachnor is on a business trip to Southern Ohio.

Mrs. John Waddell and Mrs. Lou Waddell are shopping visitors here from Greenfield.

Mrs. G. M. Paul returned last night from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Will Enderlin, in Chillicothe.

Mrs. W. B. Davis, of Williamsport, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Emma Edwards.

Miss Hazel Wood and Mr. Aca Oliver returned to their home at Bowersville Monday, after a visit at the home of their uncle, Mr. S. M. Oliver.

Mrs. C. F. Campbell and son, Alexander, are spending the day in Cincinnati.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Godfrey Monday, a daughter.

Mrs. Eva J. Penn and Mrs. G. S. Hodson spent Monday in Columbus.

Mr. H. C. Shoop and daughter visited in Dayton the first of the week.

Mr. Zane Bush and sister, Mrs. Anna Bush Coffman are spending a few days in Cincinnati.

Burnett Hyer returned to the O. S. U. Monday after spending Sunday with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Hyer.

Mrs. Charles Ballard and Miss Minnie Light are in Columbus to see "The Blue Bird" at the Southern theater.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson and Miss Edith Blackburn made a trip to Columbus today, Miss Blackburn going to consult Dr. Beatty, the eye specialist.

Mr. Johnson met with quite a painful accident just before they started. In cranking his machine he slipped and struck his forehead against the radiator with such force that a gash was cut clear to the bone.

Mr. Wayne Mason, of Los Angeles, Cal., is the guest of Mrs. Ruth Brownell and daughter, Miss Lucy.

Mr. Mason was called to Columbus by the death of his niece, Miss Barbara Harte.

Mrs. Ray Maynard went to Cincinnati today to be the guest of Mrs. Hugh Adams.

Mrs. Adams entertains in Mrs. Maynard's honor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ging have returned from a wedding trip to Cincinnati and have gone to housekeeping on Van Deman avenue, Millwood.

Mr. F. E. Miller and Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Smith, of Columbus, spent Sunday with Mr. J. C. Miller and family on Briar avenue.

Mrs. John Carr and daughter, Miss Ruth Carr, returned to their home in Jeffersonville today after several days' visit with Mrs. Ashley Wood and daughter, Miss Clara Wood.

Mrs. Earl Mauck is visiting in Dayton and expects to remain until after the holidays.

Mrs. Ella Kouns has returned to her home in Columbus after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. rman Price and two children, visited relatives in Columbus over Sunday.

Evelyn Sadders, the little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Sadders, is recovering from a severe attack of bronchitis.

Mrs. Mary B. Hale leaves Wednesday for Little Rock, Ark., where she will visit Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baer and Mr. and Mrs. Thane Willson before going on to Corpus Christi, Texas, to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Winkle went to Columbus today to see "The Blue Bird" at the Great Southern tonight.

Mrs. G. M. Paul returned Monday evening from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Will Enderlin, at Chillicothe.

Mrs. Paul is improving after a serious nervous breakdown and is better than she has been for some time.

Mrs. Fred Sprenger visited with her husband in Springfield the past two days.

Mr. Sprenger is temporarily connected with the branch of the Inskip Manufacturing Co. factory, located at Springfield.

Commissioner Harry Brown is able to be out after an attack of the grippe.

Messrs. N. S. Barnett and Ed Fite made a business trip to Cincinnati Monday.

Look for the Young Men's Choral club booth at Leo Katz & Co.

## THE MUNICIPAL CHRISTMAS TREE

Committees have been appointed by pastors of the churches to solicit donations and make possible the plan of holding a Municipal Christmas tree in this city, as advocated by The Herald Monday, December 8th.

So far very little has been done in the matter, but a meeting will, in all probability be held within a short time, and if the movement is to be pushed to success, plans will be made accordingly.

Look for the Young Men's Choral club booth at Craig Bros.

## MUST SECURE MORE EVIDENCE

STELLA ALLEN FAILS TO CONVINCE JUDGE THAT SHE IS ENTITLED TO DIVORCE FROM MAN WHO WAS RECENTLY ARRESTED WHEN HE APPEARED AT HOME OF FATHER-IN-LAW WITH GUN, ASKING TO BE SHOT IF HE COULD NOT HAVE HIS WIFE.

Nearly all day Monday the case of Stella Allen against Frank Allen, in which the plaintiff asked for divorce, charging her husband with a number of inhuman acts as grounds for divorce, was heard before Probate Judge Allen, and after the evidence was all in Judge Allen refused to grant a divorce to Mrs. Allen, holding that the evidence had not been sufficient to sustain the sensational charges she had made against her husband.

The trial was held behind closed doors, with U. G. Creamer and E. L. Bush representing the plaintiff and Rankin and Rankin, the defendant.

After the evidence for the plaintiff had been given in detail and met with contradictory evidence from the side of the defendant, Judge Allen continued the case for one week, informing the plaintiff that additional evidence must be forthcoming in that time or the case would be dismissed.

An important part of the testimony was given by Mrs. Allen when she stated that her father, Frank Huff-

man, had threatened to not give her any interest in his estate if she continued to live with Allen.

In connection with the case, it will be recalled, the local authorities were called upon a few weeks ago to take Allen in charge, as he had appeared at the residence of his father-in-law with a gun in his hands, demanding his wife and frightening the family very much. He asked to be shot if he could not have his wife.

When the trial was held for that offense, Allen was released. The parties involved in the suit reside near Bookwalter.

It has been calculated that nearly 300,000,000 feet or over 55,000 miles of film are used up yearly to satisfy the world's demand for moving pictures.

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Look for the Young Men's Choral club booth at Jess W. Smith's.

### CHORAL CLUB.

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# FEDERALS ARE AFTER VILLA

## REBEL OUTLOOK NOT BRIGHT

Strategy Believed to Have Been Behind the Federal Evacuation of Chihuahua, General Villa's Forces Apparently Being in a Pocket—Ojinaga Held by Four Thousand Government Troops.

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 16. — Federals under command of General Rubio Navarette, after retaking the city of Torreon from the rebels, are declared to be moving north in the direction of Chihuahua city, General Villa's headquarters.

With most of Villa's men besieging the federals at Ojinaga, it begins to look as if Villa would have to quit Chihuahua or get trapped.

American army officers are wondering if federal strategy was not behind the evacuation of Chihuahua. General Mercado and his army marched from the state capital and let Villa march in without a fight. Then Villa sent most of his men after the federals at Ojinaga, and now the Navarette command is coming from the south against Chihuahua.

From the direction of Nuevo Leon and Coahuila another federal command is said to be marching against Chihuahua. If the rebel leader recalls his men from Ojinaga, the 4,000 federals there can march west to Juarez and cut off his base of supplies. As Juarez could easily be taken by such a federal force as Mercado now has with him. If the rebels at Ojinaga remain there to attack the federals, then Villa is in danger of being driven back to Juarez, out of Chihuahua, by Navarette and the Coahuila-Nuevo Leon column. The rebel outlook in Chihuahua is less bright than it has been for a month past.

Ojinaga, which the federal command holds, is said to be almost impregnable, and American officers on border duty there expressed the opinion that the rebels can not take it from the 4,000 federals now holding it under Mercado. The town itself is on top of a hill.

Luis Terrazas, Jr., has already been forced to sign checks for \$250,000 Mexican currency, as a part of his ransom money.

## FATHER-SON MOVE

Cleveland, O., Dec. 16. — A father-and-son movement is to be inaugurated here soon. The object is to promote a closer understanding and a spirit of comradeship between fathers and their sons. Robert E. Lewis, secretary of the Cleveland Y. M. C. A., will issue a call some time this week for a meeting, at which plans for the movement will be arranged. He will have the assistance of Mayor Newton D. Baker and other leading citizens.

## VOLCANO ACTIVE

Melbourne, Dec. 16.—The volcano on Ambrim island, one of the New Hebrides, has been very active recently. Six new craters were formed on Dec. 14, and the central cone collapsed the next day. Part of the island has been overwhelmed by lava and cinders and it is believed that many natives have been killed.

Colonel S. L. Mooney, 84, multimillionaire of Woodfield, O., and Miss Carolyn Eells, 54, of Marietta, O., were married at the latter place.

Every bone in the body of Darley Richards, 22, was broken when he was caught in a shafting at a Newark (O.) creamery and whirled to death.

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## PRAYER MEETINGS TO BE HELD TONIGHT

Schedule of prayer meetings for Tuesday, December 16, 7:30 to 8:00 p. m. Topic, "The Power of Prayer." Acts 1:14; Jas. 5:16-18.

District No. 1.—Mr. Crooks, leader, Mrs. Hall; Mrs. Martin, leader, Mr. Harrop; Herbert Chapman, leader, Mr. Van Gundy; Geo. Olinger, leader, A. Snider.

District No. 2.—The meeting at Mrs. Williams, N. North street, will be led by Mazie Kessler; at Peter Poole's, Eastern avenue, by Mrs. Weller.

Meetings will be held at the following homes also: Supt. Wm. McClain, N. North St., leader Mr. McClain. Mrs. Bert Ford, Forest St., leader, Mrs. E. T. Evans.

District No. 2 has been divided into two sections:

Sec. A.—From Paint street to B. & O. R. R. Capt., Mrs. Blackmore.

Sec. B.—B. & O. R. R. to corporation line. Captain, Harry Wood.

District No. 3.—Mrs. Quinn, leader, M. E. Hitchcock; C. A. Reid, leader, J. N. Rothrock; Mrs. Stuckey, O. G. Blackwell.

District No. 4.—Geo. Jenkins, leader John Near; Mrs. Rodgers, Sherman Bishop; W. C. Briggs, S. E. Irvin; Wm. Davenport, S. W. Brown; Dr. Robinson, Mrs. Wm. Craig; Mrs. DeWees, Mrs. Charles Stafford; Mr. S. S. Cockerill, J. T. Tuttle; C. H. Lewis, Mrs. S. E. Adams.

District No. 5.—2:30 p. m. Mrs. Nat. Squires, Mrs. M. O. Ireland; Mrs. Kelley, Mrs. N. S. Craig; Jas. Snapp, Mrs. Campbell.

District No. 6.—Eli Craig, Mrs. Ross; Jud Clark, A. J. Waller; A. S. Evans, T. H. Craig.

District No. 7.—Wm. Bishop, Wm. DeWees; Wm. Kidd, Mrs. Colaw; Wm. Manning, J. S. Harper.

District No. 8.—Ben Davis, Chas. Householder.

Chas. Amiller's, S. Fayette, leader, Mrs. Amanda Priest.

Mr. Haynes', S. Hinde, leader Mrs. Simms.

District No. 9.—Mr. Powless, Mrs. Walter McLean; Mrs. Purdue, Mrs. Bradfute; Mrs. McHenry, Mrs. Spray.

### PYTHIAN SISTERS.

Regular meeting of Washington Temple No. 380, Tuesday evening, December 16th, at 7 o'clock. Assembly dance. All members invited.

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### MITE SOCIETY MEETS.

The Wesley Chapel Mite Society will meet at the home of Mrs. James Hays, S. North street, Wednesday, December 17th, 2:30 p. m.

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### AID SOCIETY.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Jennie Mark on Temple street, Wednesday, December 17 at 2 o'clock.

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### Rob and Kill Picture Show Man.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 15.—Samuel Shagrin, 37, proprietor of a motion picture show, died from a bullet wound received in a battle with footpads. Shagrin was robbed of \$150.

## If You Are Weak And "Run Down"

Common sense demands that the first thing to be done is to put both your nerves and blood into a healthy condition. Your nerves direct the work of your various organs and the blood feeds them. Unless both nerves and blood are in health, you can't be well. Common sense also demands that the medicine you take serve both the above purposes—both tones and strengthens the nerves and nourishes the blood.

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## Easy Lessons in Cooking and Baking

By EMILY RIESENBERG

### PLAIN MILK ROLLS.

#### Method.

Take some dough as for Parker House rolls. When ready to shape divide into small pieces and roll each into a smooth ball; lay well apart on a greased tin and brush with milk before putting into oven and after taking out. If you want to keep them soft for a second day, lay them so they touch. They will run together. When done let them cool without separating. When ready to use break apart and you have soft, flaky rolls.

### POPPY SEED ROLLS.

#### Method.

Proceed as directed for milk rolls. Set well apart, and before putting into oven brush with melted butter and strew poppy seed over.

### PLAIN BREAD ROLLS.

#### Method.

Take a part of the bread dough and divide into small pieces, roll these into little balls, and set side by side in a flat greased pan. When quite light, bake until well done and light brown. Rub tops with a little butter before breaking apart. These are best eaten fresh.

### Started Fire With Oil.

Stuebenville, O., Dec. 16.—Mrs. John Kelt, 41, of Rush Run, attempted to start a fire with coal oil. An explosion followed and she was so severely burned that she died soon afterward.

## DRAWING PARENTS TO THE SCHOOLS

The following article is being published in newspapers throughout the state, having been issued by the College of Agriculture, Ohio State University, in one of the regular news letters issued:

By holding an exhibit of school work which attracts the attention of almost all the people of their community, the pupils and teachers of the public school at Bloomingburg, Fayette county, Ohio, have shown what can be accomplished in the way of making an attractive school exhibit. Each department of the school planned and arranged their exhibits which included representative work that has been done by the pupils since the beginning of the term.

Among the things shown are: manuscripts, collected since the opening of school, showing the progress the children have made; nature work, such as the mounting of leaves and botanical specimens; displays of farm products by both girls and boys; illustrated booklets made by the pupils themselves and designed after some story read in the schoolroom; and displays of drawings. In the primary grades, sewing has been successfully introduced this year and the little children busily at work sewing during the exhibit attracted as much attention as any part of the school work.

These exhibits are being held in many other schools in the state and the good that they are accomplishing is well illustrated in the one held recently at the Bloomingburg school. By actually seeing what their sons and daughters are doing at school, parents are more willing and anxious to provide better buildings and equipment.

### John D. Opens Up.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 16. — Compelled by the illness of his wife to remain here over Christmas, John D. Rockefeller is planning the biggest holiday celebration ever seen at Forest Hill. All his old-time friends have been invited.

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## CARRANZA ASKED TO SHOW AUTHORITY

Washington, Dec. 16.—The Wilson administration apparently has recognized General Carranza as the head of the revolution in Mexico and so much of a government as the Constitutionalists assume to maintain. This was indicated here when Secretary Bryan admitted that the state department was making representations to General Carranza regarding the excesses which General Villa is accused of committing at Chihuahua.

## MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR

Columbus, O., Dec. 16.—Finley Stevens, aged about 60, was badly beaten in the presence of his wife and daughter and their home was demolished by five men, who used a taxicab in their mysterious mission to the Stevens residence. Stevens says the men demanded that he pay them the rental for the house and that when he informed them he had paid his rent, he said they attacked him and destroyed his furniture.

## GAVE HER BLOOD

Cleveland, O., Dec. 16.—Coming as a volunteer in response to an appeal by the Rev. J. R. McAlpine, Mrs. Anna Van Burton gave blood in an effort to save the life of Miss Mary Armstrong, 28, a patient at Glenville hospital. The transfusion operation was pronounced successful by the physicians, although both women are very weak.

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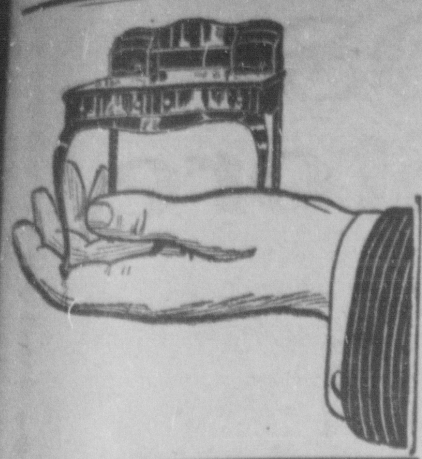
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**WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.**  
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FOR RENT—6-room house in Pavey's addition. Inquire of Frank Mayer, O. K. Barber Shop. 284 tf

FOR RENT—Four elegant rooms in Mrs. Simkins' double house, 135 Leesburg avenue. Inquire within. 282 tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—1 and 1/2 story modern bungalow; new and good. No. 212 Clinton avenue. See or call W. E. Earley of the Dicer-Mark Hdw. Co. 278 tf

FOR RENT—7-room house. Call at Bachert's Carriage Factory 266 tf

FOR RENT—House on Columbus avenue. Mrs. Wm. Rice. 255 tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 228 N. Fayette street. 236 tf

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Gas heater and refrigerator; good as new. C. H. Thoroman, 344 E. Temple St. 294 2t

FOR SALE—Table, gas range, gas heater, library gas lamp and folding bed; all good as new. C. H. Thoroman, 344 E. Temple. 292 2t

### WANTED. . .

WANTED—Sewing. Call Louise Rice, Citizens phone 450. 290 6t

WANTED—Washings to do. Mrs. Mary Wilson. Call Mrs. Jas. Hillery. 290 6t

WANTED—Two lady collectors; must have experience. Apply at the office of Home Telephone Co. 289 tf

WANTED—Woman to help cook. Apply at once. Hyer's Restaurant. 284 tf

WANTED—Ladies to select their supply of Holiday Greeting cards at Rodecker's News Stand, while the assortment is good.

### LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Lady's tan glove. Leave at Kate's store. 291 6t

## MORE B. & O. EMPLOYEES ARE TURNED OUT OF WORK

SERIOUS SITUATION IN CHILLICOTHE WHERE 600 B. & O. SHOP MEN HAVE BEEN FURLOUGHED FOR AN INDEFINITE PERIOD—ROLLING STOCK OF ROAD IS SAID TO BE IN CONDITION NOT ABLE TO WITHSTAND LONG NEGLECT.

As a result of 600 B. & O. shop employees being furloughed in Chillicothe, that city is now facing a serious problem, as the large number being thrown out of work at this time of the year makes the problem a very serious one, and it is the hardest blow Chillicothe has received since the flood last March.

A few days ago 400 men were given notice that their services would not be required any more at the present time, and since then 200 more have been furloughed for an indefinite period, and the 600 idle men are at a loss which way to turn to keep the wolf from the door and secure money with which to give their families the kind of a Christmas they have been used to.

The only explanation given by the railroad officials is that the furloughing has been absolutely necessary owing to the recent increase in wages all over the system, and the Chillicothe shops are not the only ones where the lay-off has been brought into play in order to cut down expenses.

Regarding the action of the B. & O. officials, the Chillicothe Gazette says: "It is also claimed that the demand for increased freight rates, which is being pushed, is bolstered up by these reductions in the working forces and that all the railroads in the country are following out the plan, so that they can show the Interstate Commerce Commission that

they must either gain the five per cent increase in freight rates, or they must cut down their working forces and curtail the efficiency of the railroad to an extent which will allow the road to continue and earn its fixed charges by cutting down the mobile charges.

How long the furlough will continue and what will be the outcome is not known.

Engineers and operating employees say that the rolling stock of the road is not up to standard and that engines are continually dying on them and still the shops where these engines should be placed in first class condition are not running and consequently the entire business of the railroad is suffering while car service is denied to the complaint registered by some of the shippers along the line.

Those who read the last statement of the railroad claim that they can not see why the road should not go ahead and prosper, as there was no defaulting on any of the securities of the road which are held principally in Germany and Holland, and if the public must suffer and the employees suffer too, they are claiming that some of the water in the road should be scaled down to a basis where proper relations between investment and effort could be established.

The effect on the business of Chillicothe is going to be disastrous if the furlough continues for any long time, as the local merchants now are complaining of having to carry so much credit tied up and there is no outlet for these employees, who simply have got to live. It is an era of hard times which it is really hoped will not last long, for the benefit first of the employed, and secondly for those who have business relations with the employees; and thirdly, because Chillicothe would like to see the B. & O. S. W. a bang-up railroad, first class in every respect."

## What Cures Eczema?

We have had so many inquiries lately regarding Eczema and other skin diseases, that we are glad to make our answer public. After careful investigation we have found that a simple wash of Oil of Wintergreen, as compounded in D. D. D. Prescription, can be relied upon. We would not make this statement to our patrons, friends and neighbors unless we were sure of it—and although there are many so-called Eczema remedies sold, we ourselves unhesitatingly recommend D. D. D. Prescription.

Drop into our store today, just to talk over the merits of this wonderful Prescription.

Blackmer & Tanquary.

## NAME OF ROOT PLEASES TAFT

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 16.—"The nomination of Senator Root for president by the Republican party would be gratifying to me—highly gratifying. I would be delighted to see him in the White House. I regard Mr. Root as a statesman in the same class with Alexander Hamilton. He is more than a statesman, too. He is a profound lawyer. I am a professor and out of politics. As to his political availability, I am not a judge."

## FEMALE FOOTPADS

Marion, O., Dec. 16.—Two husky colored women were arrested, charged with pulling off two bold holdups. Phillip Haberman, a bookkeeper, was robbed of \$15, and Stephen Werley, a retired saloonkeeper, gave the "stick-up" women a hard fight, but was finally subdued and robbed of \$20. Following a long chase the female footpads were caught.

## B. F. KEITH'S

For the week of December 22—Christmas week—B. F. Keith's theatre will offer a splendid bill which will be in keeping with the merry holiday season.

B. Reinold and Company (who last year, appeared in Dinkelspell's Christmas) will present their latest and greatest success, "How Hoofmeister Did It". This is a comedy sketch, full of clever lines, bright wit and unusual situations.

Kathleen Clifford, late star of "Little Boy-Blue" company, will appear as "The Smartest Boy in Town". Miss Clifford had expected to visit Columbus earlier in the season, but a change of route caused her to delay her visit until Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGreevy, the most popular team in vaudeville, will present "The Village Fiddler and the Country Maid," an offering in which music and fun are cleverly blended.

Apdole's Circus will delight old and young alike. Four wonderfully trained bears, eight dogs with almost human intelligence, three monkeys who might well be called the "missing links," and the most wonderful specimen of ant-eater in captivity will be the animals in this circus. Each animal is a genuine actor, and the feats they present are many and pleasing. That the animals have reasoning power, is demonstrated in every trick they present.

Every child in Washington C. H. should see this act as it is a splendid nature lesson. Every out-of-town visitor during the week will miss something well worth while if they neglect a visit to Keith's theatre where the prices for the daily matinees are but 10c, 20c and 30c; Saturday matinee, 10c, 35c and 50c and the night prices are 25c, 35c and 50c. Jean Le Bonita the world's greatest ragtime xylophonist will be an extra added attraction.

Jefferson's Icelanders, original Icelandic "Glima" company, representing the secret sport of Iceland, called "Glima," the wonderful art of self-defence.

Stan Stanley Trio, the popular funster and his capable helpers, will present an act that has many laughs and many surprises.

Motion pictures close the bill. Each Sunday, from 1:30 in the afternoon until 10:30 at night, there will be a splendid showing of first-time pictures, including a Special Feature, Timely Topic Views and other original motion pictures.

Mrs. Austin's famous pancakes make a really delicious wholesome breakfast.

## TEST INSURES THE OWEN BILL

### HITCHCOCK SUBSTITUTE FAILS

Defeat of the Amendment Practically Insures the Adoption of the Owen Plan, Which Provides For Eight or More Regional Banks, Which Will Be Under Control of Bankers—Senator Reed Speaks.

Washington, Dec. 16.—In the first important test vote on the currency bill, the administration won by a margin of five. The vote was 40 to 35. Only one Democratic senator voted with the Republicans, Hitchcock of Nebraska.

The issue was raised by Senator Owen's motion to lay on the table Senator Hitchcock's substitute for the second section of the administration bill. This section deals with the organization and control of the regional banks. By tabling the Hitchcock amendment the senate in effect agreed to eight or more regional banks as against four. It went further and declared for bank ownership of the stock of the regional reserve association, in preference to popular ownership.

The same vote settled, apparently, the fact that the plan of control in the Owen bill will remain. This gives the banks a majority of the directors of the regional banks.

Senator Reed of Missouri made an attack on Senator Root for the speech made last Saturday night by the New York senator. Mr. Reed thought it had a tendency to inspire fear in the business world.

Replying directly to Senator Root's predictions that undue inflation and a financial panic might ensue if the currency bill were passed in its present form, Senator Reed declared no inflation of the currency could occur unless the "sound money men who run the banks" brought it about.

Senator Hitchcock made a sharp attack on the proposed control of the regional reserve banks by the banking interests of the country. He declared this feature of the bill would turn over the country reserves to the use of these bankers and would legalize the methods and the combinations of control against which the country has long protested.

### DAVIS QUALITY XMAS CARDS.

Are now on sale at Rodecker's News Stand. Large assortment. Some engraved, from one cent each to a quarter. Select them early.

Mrs. Austin's famous pancakes make a really delicious wholesome breakfast.

## The Last Days Before Christmas

are apt to be days of hurry and indiscriminate buying. Don't buy carelessly. Come here and you'll find plenty of gifts—mostly articles of every day utility. Such goods as make

### THE BEST GIFTS

Perfumes	Combs
Hair Brushes	Hat Brushes
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Mirrors	Stationery
Pocket Books	Purses
Razors	Toilet Articles
Scissors	Pipes
	Cigars
	Hot Water Bottles
	Cameras and Camera Supplies

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DRUG STORE  
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## FEED STORE

Feed Of All Kinds  
Free Delivery

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## The Tango

may be in scallops but the TABLE LINEN we iron is straight—it is laundered in soft water and the pattern stands out like new.

TRY US THIS WEEK

## Rothrock's Laundry

Family Wash 6c Pound

## 30,000 Pounds Pure, Selected Xmas Candies

We have just the right kind at the right price. The Biggest and Best Line of Bulk Candy in the city. 4,000 boxes of assorted candies that will please "her."

Special Concessions to All School Teachers

Be Sure and Order Your Christmas Candies at the

## Cozy Corner

PETER BROWN

## SCOOP The Cub Reporter

It Wasn't Just The Present For The Boss

By "Hop"





# Markets

## Close of Markets Today

By Associated Press.

### LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, December 16.—Hogs—Receipts 40,000; light yorkers \$7.35@7.70; heavy yorkers \$7.45@7.82½; pigs \$6.25@7.60.

Cattle—Receipts 6500; market strong; beefs \$6.60@9.75; Texas steers \$6.60@7.65; stockers and feeders \$4.90@7.40; cows and heifers \$3.30@8.40; calves \$7.50@11.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 25,000; market strong; sheep, natives \$4.40@5.75; lambs, natives \$6.40@8.00.

Pittsburg, December 1.—Hogs—Receipts 6000; market steady; heavy yorkers \$7.85@8.35.

### GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 16.—Wheat—May 92½; July 89.

Corn—Dec. 70¼; May 70.

Oats—May 42¼; July 41½.

Pork—\$20.70@20.85.

### THE LOCAL MARKET.

Corrected Daily at Noon.

Wheat No. 2.....90c  
White corn.....60c  
Yellow corn.....58c  
Oats.....40c  
Hay No. 1 timothy.....\$14.00  
Hay No. 2 timothy.....\$12.50  
Hay No. 1 clover.....\$14.00  
Hay No. 1 mixed.....\$14.00  
Straw, dry, per ton.....\$5.00  
Straw damp, per ton, not quoted.

### Prices Paid for Produce.

Chickens, young, per lb.....11c  
Eggs, per dozen.....30c  
Butter.....25c  
Potatoes, per bushel.....80c  
Lard, per lb.....11c

There were 69,000 patents applied for in America last year. Only 35,000 patents were granted. Of these not more than 500 will get to the manufacturing stage and be a source of income to the inventors.

Buy From Local Stores.

## PHYSICAL DIRECTOR PREPARING PROGRAM

Physical Director McClung is planning an exceptionally strong gymnastic program for the New Years' entertainment now under way, and prizes will be given to the winners in the various contests.

Competent judges will preside, and award the prizes to the winners. Swimming by Juniors will be one of the features. Also swimming, open to all. A 20 yard dash, running high jump, broad jump, rope climb, medicine ball throw, and the like will form part of the program. A diving contest will also be of interest.

The All Collegians against the Y. M. C. A. Basketball team will add to the enjoyment of the athletic exercises.

## BAD SMASHUP

A bad smash-up occurred Sunday night on the Danville pike near the residence of Mr. Wm. Morris, when the two closed buggies of Mr. Tom Watts, of this city, and Lath Haithcock, of Paint township, collided and the one driven by Mr. Haithcock was thrown over into the ditch.

Both Haithcock and a man driving with him were thrown out and considerably injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Watts and their little son, Leonard, escaped without injury, although their buggy was considerably hurt, one back wheel torn off, the spokes twisted out of the other, and the axle strained.

The Haithcock buggy was a wreck. The accident was caused by Mr. Haithcock's horse lunging into Mr. Watts' rig, and in trying to prevent going into the ditch the two buggies crashed together.

## WESLEY CHAPEL

W. L. Patton and family spent Sunday with J. W. Haigler and family.

Mr. Gabe Smith and sister were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Mowery.

Mr. Edward Matthews spent Sunday with Mr. A. O. Horney.

Rev. T. L. Haas is still conducting protracted meeting at this place.

Albert Hidy and wife were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hidy.

## HORSE THIEF IS CAUGHT IN COLUMBUS

Charles Williamson received word from the Columbus police today that the man who traded the stolen horse to him, in this city, a week ago Thursday, has been captured in Columbus, together with Williamson's horse.

The man, when in this town, gave the name of Valentine, and when last seen was leading the horse out on the Columbus pike.

Williamson is lucky to get his horse back, although he is out \$15 on the deal, and a two weeks' search for the horse.

## REVOKE FRANCHISE

Dayton, O., Dec. 16.—State Superintendent of Public Works Miller announced that the state has determined to revoke the franchise of the Cooper Hydraulic company, using power from the canal here. The state alleges nonpayment of six and a half years' rental.

## Hartman Theater

WEEK OF DECEMBER 22ND.

How many millions of book lovers in the world have read the delightful story of "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" is problematical, but all who have read the book will want to see the play which Eugene Walter has written around Mr. Fox's romantic mountain girl, June. Klaw & Erlanger have transferred to the stage the atmosphere of the Virginia hills, and it is so artistically perfect that you are almost made to believe you are inhaling the fragrance of the mountainside. Eugene Walter has condensed the time of the unfolding of the romance of June Tolliver and Jack Hale, but increased the rapidity of action. The first act closes with June, the little barefoot mountain girl on her way to school. In the second act she learns that Jack is not thinking seriously of a marriage she believed to be inevitable and returns to the mountains. The third act thrills with the love story of June and Jack Hale and the suppression of the feud aided by the awakening of June to the difference between the duty of love and the duty of the law resulting in the reunion and marriage of the most delightful book characters ever conceived, in the last act.

"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" with Charlotte Walker in the role of June will be the attraction at the Hartman theater, Christmas day, matinee and evening, and Friday and Saturday, December 26-27th with a matinee on Saturday.

### MISCELLANEOUS NOTES.

Surprising figures are available as to the relative poverty of leading foreign countries in the matter of automobile ownership. France, for example, boasts only 120,000 motor cars for the entire country. Place this against the fact that in Ohio alone are 100,000 machines owned and registered. It is easy to see why the United States now dominates the automobile production of the world.

"Suburban Day" in Ashtabula has proven a great success. Wednesday of each week is "Suburban day" in Ashtabula, on which day the merchants of the town offer special bargains and free transportation to out of town shoppers. The merchants say that the results of "Suburban Day" has been more than gratifying.

A correspondence course for convicts is to be opened by the University of Nebraska. The work will be confined to prisoners at the state penitentiary and already 30 convicts including four life termers, have had their names enrolled. The course will include arithmetic, American history, grammar, literature, book-keeping and agriculture. The object is to prepare convicts to be self-supporting when they are released. Consideration given applications for pardons, paroles and commutation.

will depend somewhat on the progress made in the college.

National federation of the Society for the Prevention of Useless Giving, known as "The Spugs," is urged. The movement, began in New York and has spread over the country. The honorary chairman is Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the President is chairman in the District of Columbia. A statement outlining the object of the society tells of the good to be accomplished in reducing useless giving among shopping girls and other wage earners.

Gas users should observe the color of the flame of the gas range, says an exchange. The flame should burn with a blue flame. If the flame is red you have too much air, and the mixer must be adjusted. If you do not understand how to manipulate the mixer your gas company will be glad to instruct you.

A novel plan for recreation of the boys of the Hollywood, Cal., high school has been arranged. A bit of wild land has been leased, a small house erected on it and the place used as a "recreation club." There the boys will be turned loose and have every privilege, though in charge of professors. The house will be constructed by the boys of the mechanics and cabinet-making class. The plan has gained instant popularity.

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**THE TOY SHOP** Second floor—Contains the hearts desire of every boy and girl.

**THE LADIES DEPARTMENT** Main floor—Contains thousands of articles dear to the feminine heart.

**THE MEN'S STORE** Shows a collection of articles, limitless in extent, from which it would be difficult if not impossible to select unwisely.

**HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT** Full of Choice Rugs and Draperies

**CARPET SWEEPERS AND VACUUM CLEANERS.** The present de luxe for the housewife. We demonstrate with hand power and electric machine. **\$2.50 to \$3.50**

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Nor have we forgotten LITTLE FOLKS Such a collection of PICTURE BOOKS 3c, 5c, 10c up to 50c.

## FRAMED PICTURES

Have you visited Smith's Art Gallery in the rear of the main floor? No such collection of framed pictures can be found outside of the largest cities, and nowhere else at Smith's prices.—Framed Pictures for 10c, better ones 25c, and really works of art at 75c and \$1.00, and then up to \$20.00.—this is really some display of pictures.

## Give Her a Fancy Tray or Coaster Set

Here they are with wooden frames, glass covered, new oval and square designs.

98c to \$3.75

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Our showing of German, Austrian, Parisian, French and Japanese China is very complete.

Beside the regular dinner ware patterns, there are individual pieces, handsomely decorated, which will harmonize with any china you may have.

Cake Plates.....\$1.00 to \$3.00  
Sugar and Creams, 50c to \$3.00  
Marmalade Jars, \$2.00 to \$3.00  
Cracker Jars.....50c to \$3.00  
Orange Bowls.....\$1.00 to \$3.00  
Spoon Trays, 25c to \$3.00  
Cheese and Cracker Plates, \$2.00 to \$3.00  
Mayonnaise and Whipped Cream Bowls, \$1.00 to \$3.00  
Celery Trays.....25c to \$3.00  
Syrup Jugs.....75c to \$3.00  
Pickle Dishes.....75c to \$2.00  
Bon Bon Dishes.....50c to \$3.00  
Jelly Dishes.....75c to \$2.50

## S. S. COCKERILL & SON

Groceries and Queensware

## Fresh Vegetables By Express Today

Brussels Sprouts, per quart.....30c  
Stringless Beans, per pound.....25c  
Cucumbers, each.....20c  
Green Peppers, each.....5c  
Egg Plant.....20c  
Radishes, 5c per bunch 3 bunches for.....10c  
Onions.....5c  
Kale, per pound.....10c  
Spinach, per pound.....10c  
Head Lettuce, per head.....12½c  
Leaf Lettuce, per pound.....20c  
Pascal Celery, per bunch.....10c  
Endive, three bunches for.....10c

## DECORATIONS FOR CHRISTMAS

Laurel Wreathing or Festooning, per yard.....10c  
Double Laurel Wreaths, each.....25c  
Magnolia Wreaths, each.....20c  
We shall have Holly and Mistletoe later in the week.

## FLORIDA ORANGES AND GRAPE FRUIT

Are now at their best. They are ripe and full of juice. We have our Christmas supply. The prices will not be higher.

250 Size Florida, per doz.....20c  
200 Size Florida, per doz.....25c  
176 Size Florida, per doz.....30c  
150 Size Florida, per doz.....35c  
80 Size Grape Fruit, 4 for.....25c  
64 Size Grape Fruit, 3 for.....25c  
46 Size Grape Fruit, 2 for.....25c  
Special prices on Oranges and Grape Fruit by the box.

We also have California Navel Oranges. They are very fine this year and will keep better than Floridas. They are not so sweet however.

100 Size, 50c per doz. 126 Size, 40c per doz.  
176 Size, 30c per doz.

## FANCY CHEESE IN PACKAGES

Philadelphia Cream Cheese, per pkg....10c  
Dairfarm Cream Cheese, per pkg.....10c  
Pimento Cheese, per pkg.....10c  
Neufchatel Cheese, per pkg.....5c